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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 10:21 AM
To: Kim; Anna C (GOV)
Cc: Cayce; Sunny C (GOV)
Subject: FW: tariff TA360-1

From: alan munro [mailto:amunro@gci.net]
Sent: Sunday, April 27, 2008 10:16 PM
To: Mall, RCA (CED sponsored)
Cc: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: tariff TA360-1

Dear Commissioners,
I certainly hope the Regulatory Commission of Alaska will look very, very closely at AEL&P's enormous rate increase request. An increase that according to all intuition, reason and common sense is way too much and appears to provide AEL&P, a private corporation, with excess revenue in their bank account.
Thank you for your careful attention to this very serious matter.
Alan R. Munro, Juneau, Alaska

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 10:19 AM
To: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Other

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From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Sunday, April 27, 2008 7:48 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Other

Web mail from: Mr. Stokes Smith
address: 33 Hidden Brook Signal Mountain TN 37377

MESSAGE:

Congratulations on the birth of your son, Trig. If you think you're in the spot light now as Governor, just wait till the public gets to know your son as he grows up!

I'm glad you voiced your blessings...

Sincerely,

"Very happy family with 9 year old daughter who steels light regularly,"
Stokes, Kimberly, Harrison and Frances Ann Smith

ssmith@sctray.com

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 10:18 AM
To: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Other

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From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Sunday, April 27, 2008 7:12 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Other

Web mail from: Ms. Joan Rasmussen
address: 8919 Meadow Park circle E AK 99577
9529279

MESSAGE:

My family wishes you the best wishes on your new little blessing. God has given you a very special angel and I know that he is in such good hands. Your husband had such a sweet loving look on his face and you were so quick to Thank God for what you have. Your family will be blessed many times as will we, the people of Alaska for having a Governor so willing to even speak the name of our creator. Many blessings and best wishes. Joan Rasmussen

snoblossom@yahoo.com

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 10:18 AM
To: 'joseph99508@yahoo.com'
Subject: RE: Other

Thank you for writing to Alaska Governor Sarah Palin. The concerns, opinions, and/or information you have sent are important and valuable to the Governor. Although she is unable to respond to each and every email herself, your message has been received and is being reviewed by the appropriate staff person in this office who can best address your need, suggestion, or comment.

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From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Sunday, April 27, 2008 6:58 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Other

Web mail from: Mr. joseph Pichler
address: 3301 E TUDOR RD Anchorage AK 99507
907-274-8108

MESSAGE:

Hi Governor i am in People First Anchorage i want you meet in no monday Governor joe Pichler joseph99508@yahoo.com.

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
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To: Wilken; Jessica M (GOV)
Cc: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Other

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From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Sunday, April 27, 2008 5:38 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Other

Web mail from: dick kennedy
address: 13754 river forest dr ft myers FL 33905
239-694-5943

MESSAGE:

Gov

Congratulations on your newly born son! You will be a busy lady but God will help you with your burdens. Please maintain your conservative values and I hope that someday you will consider becoming the first female president. Rush Limbaugh espouses you highly and often.

Please help us be able to use our own petroleum resources (Alaska, Gulf of Mexico, etc) also, in order for us not to be held hostage by unfriendly countries.

But mainly continue to love and enjoy your family and the Man upstairs will provide. God Bless You and America

Dick USAF 1964-67

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 10:15 AM
To: 'dgwoodring@earthlink.net'
Subject: RE: Homeland_Security

Thank you for writing to Alaska Governor Sarah Palin. The concerns, opinions, and/or information you have sent are important and valuable to the Governor. Although she is unable to respond to each and every email herself, your message has been received and is being reviewed by the appropriate staff person in this office who can best address your need, suggestion, or comment.

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Sunday, April 27, 2008 5:12 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Homeland_Security

Web mail from: Mr. David Woodring
address: Box FIC Neets Bay Ketchikan AK 99950
907-247-8790

MESSAGE:

Hi,

I live in a remote community in Alaska. My nearest town is Ketchikan. I can only get there by float plane. There are no roads that connect my community to Ketchikan or Ketchikan to the rest of North America. I am an avid outdoorsman and hunter. I reload most of my own ammunition. My guns are not only used for hunting but in defense of life and property. We have a very large bear population here. This has become a very difficult practice for me. There are no stores where I live. I have to charter a \$900.00 round trip float plane to town to buy powder. When I get to town there is only one place to buy smokeless gun powder. They don't stock much powder and what they do have is not what I want. Due to unfair shipping laws I can not mail order powder. It is legal to mail order powder in 48 of the 50 states, but as with most other things Alaskans are treated like second rate citizens. I feel that this is an infringement of my second amendment rights. What can be done about t

his?

Thank You

David A Woodring

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Ketchikan AK 99950

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 10:12 AM
To: Spencer; Karl L (GOV)
Cc: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Fire Station 5 funding requests.

From: Hood, Richard [mailto:HoodRA@ci.anchorage.ak.us]
Sent: Sunday, April 27, 2008 3:43 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Fire Station 5 funding requests.

Dear Governor Palin,

Congratulations on the blessed addition to your family! I know you're busy so I will keep this short. Please consider the funding requests for a thermal imager and fire station remodel of the Anchorage Fire Department's Fire Station 5.

While the majority of the people we serve are residents of Anchorage, we are also responsible for EMS and Fire incidents at Ted Steven

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Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 10:10 AM
To: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Other

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Sunday, April 27, 2008 2:20 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Other

Web mail from: Yvonne Page
address: 523 Andrews Ave. Kirkwood MO 63122

MESSAGE:

Congratulations on your new baby. My daughter has a 10 year old boy with DS. She had lost twins at birth a few years earlier. When I heard she had a DS child I showed my disappointment. "But, mom," she said, "he's alive." Isn't God good! Thank you for being a strong prolife and showing to the nation the value of a single life. You are blessed, as are we. It takes a lot more patience with a special needs child, but what an opportunity to see God's grace at work. Again, congratulations and God's continual blessing to you and your family.

ypage35@hotmail.com

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 10:05 AM
To: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Other

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Sunday, April 27, 2008 12:11 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Other

Web mail from: Mr. Kirk Kanzelberger
address: 7058 7th Avenue NW Seattle WA 98117
206-706-7772

MESSAGE:

Congratulations to you and your husband on the birth of your fifth child. It is a wonderful witness to the dignity and value of every human life.

Best regards,

Kirk and Mira Kanzelberger (parents of six)

kkanzelberger@netrics.com

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Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 10:05 AM
To: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Other

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From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Sunday, April 27, 2008 11:40 AM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Other

Web mail from: Ms. Patty Ryan
address: 511 N Euclid Sioux Falls SD 57104

MESSAGE:

You are truly blessed and you must have a very special family for God to give you this little one with special needs. I have a nephew in Va., the youngest of seven boy, he is a Downs Syndrome cild and what a delight he is. He keeps his parents now in their 60's young. God bless all of you.

pkrsio.midco.net

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 9:59 AM
To: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Other

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From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Sunday, April 27, 2008 11:28 AM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Other

Web mail from: Ms. Amy Ayers
address: 13425 Youngwood Turn Bowie MD 20715

MESSAGE:

My congratulations go out to you and your family. No, we have not met, nor will we probably ever. Enjoy your little guy! You'll just be more appreciative of each little "milestone" that Trig reaches than those of us who have "normal" children are.... God bless, and again my congratulations!! ENJOY that baby! :)

godzillateach@aol.com

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To: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Other

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Sent: Sunday, April 27, 2008 11:16 AM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Other

Web mail from: Mr. Phil Congdon
address: 2418 Welsch Lane New Braunfels TX 78132
830-214-5126

MESSAGE:

Governor Palin:

Your leadership by example in standing for life, and receiving with your husband Todd, your son Trig as "absolutely perfect" rather than using his Down's syndrome as an excuse for denying him life, is a refreshing change from the culture and politics of death, and an inspiration to millions like me who value all human life.

I enthusiastically support you and will pray that God will guard and guide you as you lead Alaska in the years to come.

Philip F. Congdon
New Braunfels, TX

pcongdon@satx.rr.com

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 9:53 AM
To: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Other

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Sunday, April 27, 2008 9:37 AM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Other

Web mail from: Mr. Angel Sepulveda
address: P.O. Box 50830 Toa Baja OS 00950

MESSAGE:

Hon. Governor Palin:

Congratulations for the blessing of your newborn. I read the news, and I consider you and your husband a brave and loving couple. You're a great example to this generation. I will pray for you and your love ones.

May God bless you!

Angel M. Sepulveda, CSI

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Bayamon, PR

angel.sepulveda@fsis.usda.gov

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Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 9:52 AM
To: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Other

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From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Sunday, April 27, 2008 8:55 AM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Other

Web mail from: Ms. Carol Brix
address: 2803 Sonoam Way Viera FL 32955

MESSAGE:

Dear Governor Palin,

Let me congratulate you on the birth of your new son. Thank you so much for being an advocate for life. Your story is one that is an example to others, you stand in your beliefs, and you practice them also. May God continue to bless your family and you as you continue to govern the state of Alaska.

My husband and I toured Alaska a few years ago, and only heard good things about Alaska's "woman" governor. Now that I have read more on you, I can see why your people were boasting about you.

You and your family will be put on my prayer list, and I will continue to pray for you as you raise your family and continue with your work.

Again, thank you for your firm stand on life.

Sincerely,

Carol L. Brix

carolbrix@juno.com

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 9:43 AM
To: Kim; Anna C (GOV)
Cc: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Legal_and_lawsuits

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Saturday, April 26, 2008 7:25 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Legal_and_lawsuits

Web mail from: Ms. Kelly Houdyshell
address: 9727 Niltina Lane Eagle River AK 99577
907-355-2923

MESSAGE:

Dear Governor Palin,

Congratulations upon the arrival of your new baby boy. What a delight he must be to hold in your arms. Babies are a wonderful blessing.

I am taking a moment to write to you regarding the current disarray within our Family Court System of this state. Within the

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Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 9:53 AM
To: Kim; Anna C (GOV)
Cc: Cayce; Sunny C (GOV)
Subject: FW: Request for Energy Disaster Declaraton for our Villages
Importance: High

From: Nels and Dorothy [mailto:andora@nushtel.net]
Sent: Sunday, April 27, 2008 9:30 AM
To: Hoffman, Lyman F (LAA); Edgmon, Bryce E (LAA)
Cc: Ralph Andersen; Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Request for Energy Disaster Declaraton for our Villages
Importance: High

April 27, 2008

Senator Lyman Hoffman
Representative Bryce Hoffman
Alaska Legislature
Juneau, Alaska 99811

Re: Energy Disaster Declaration for our Villages

Dear Senator Lyman Hoffman and Representative Edgmon:

The comment below is one I sent to the Juneau Empire on comments about 17 officials mulling over the Juneau "energy crisis". You both know that many of your villages have been paying what Juneau is paying now that their low-cost hydro has been temporarily wiped out by an avalanche. I fully support helping Juneau as long as all of our villages get the same consideration.

Our energy disaster has been gradual and not a sudden event like an avalanche that wakes everybody up. Ours has been eroding our pocketbooks and destroying our villages for over 7 years.

We all appreciate all of the work you did on energy weatherization, alternative energy funding, new energy money for our schools, fully funding PCE, and revenue sharing for our villages. This is commendable.

However, all of those programs won't help our people who are struggling to pay for electricity, heating fuel, gasoline to go hunting, and propane PLUS find money for food for their families.

We need to build an energy relief bridge to get us from where we are now to whatever is going to lower our cost of energy in the future. The only way to give us IMMEDIATE relief is a fuel

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subsidy and a state sales tax waiver program that reimburses communities that waive the tax on electricity and fuel.

IF the state is going to take action for Juneau then you must insist that they do the same for all of our villages across Alaska that have been in an energy disaster condition for over 7 years. However the Governor's decision goes, I beg you to push for expanding the upcoming special session to include our villages to get the help they need or ask the Legislature to call itself into session to address this issue. Since the Legislature is the Assembly for the Unorganized Borough, it would be appropriate for the Legislature to call itself into session to take care of our immediate needs.

We beg and pray that you will do the following for us:

- Urge the Governor to declare an energy disaster for all of our villages across the state of Alaska and/or include that issue in the upcoming special session.
- Ask the Legislative Leadership to call a special session to meet Alaska's Immediate Energy Needs
- Support giving Mr. Haagenson, Energy Coordinator, cabinet level status and convert the AEA to the Dept. of Energy
- Develop legislation that will create an Alaska Fuel Subsidy that will take our Alaska Royalty Oil and have it refined at Flint Hills or Nikiski and have heating fuel, gasoline, diesel, aviation fuel, and propane delivered to all of communities in Alaska at no more than \$3.00 a gallon at the pump.
- Craft legislation that will reimburse all communities that waive all sales taxes on electricity and fuel.
- Push our Congressional delegation to adopt a moratorium on all fuel taxes.

My best personal regards,

Nels Anderson, Jr.
Box 234
Dillingham, Alaska 99576
907-842-2366
andora@nushtel.net

cc: Governor Sarah Palin
Ralph Andersen, CEO-Bristol Bay Native Association

Attachment: My comment on the Juneau Empire story on Governor Mulling Energy Disaster after avalanche

"As the governor mulls over Juneau being declared a disaster due to the intervention of Mother Nature wiping out a power line, most of the villages of Alaska have been suffering extreme hardship due to excessively high electricity, heating fuel, gasoline, diesel, and propane costs for seven years. This all leads to high transportation costs that raise the cost of food, subsistence hunting and fishing, commercial fishing, and places a terrible strain on families that are finding it extremely difficult to pay for energy and food for the family.

Believe me, I am in total agreement with a decision to declare the Juneau area a disaster as long as our villages are given the same consideration and declared energy disaster areas as well.

We have a broken energy system that is not helping all of us equally. That has to stop by getting our Alaska State Royalty Oil refined at Flint Hills or Nikiski and have the gasoline, diesel, heating fuel, and propane sold to us at no more than \$3.00 a gallon. We also need the state to create an energy sales tax waiver program that reimburses communities that have a sales tax.

And finally, we need Mr. Steve Haagenson to be given cabinet level powers to head a new Dept. of Energy which is now the Alaska Energy Authority.

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We need help in our villages just as Juneau does. We cannot ignore that fact any more."

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 9:42 AM
To: Leighow; Sharon W (GOV)
Cc: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Other

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Saturday, April 26, 2008 7:18 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Other

Web mail from: Mr. Chris Herzberger
address: 4498 Woodman Ave. A310 Sherman Oaks CA 91423
630-464-0384

MESSAGE:

Dear Governor Palin:

Wanted to drop a quick note congratulating you on the birth of your son. My name is Chris Herzberger, I'm 21 years old, and have a 24-year-old brother with Down Syndrome.

Each and every day, I marvel at his joy, his smile, his passion for life, his love of people, and his appreciate for the simplest of things. He can ALWAYS light up a room -- and its seems like EVERYONE in the world just adores him.

He is the greatest blessing of my life, and I know that Trig will bring you amazing times and beautiful moments.

Thanks for all that you do and the example you set.

(I hope to see you on the McCain ticket!!!!)

Best,

Chris Herzberger

cherzberger@mac.com

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 9:40 AM
To: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Other

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Saturday, April 26, 2008 5:50 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Other

Web mail from: Mr. Chris Weickert
address: 126 Guard Street Rockford IL 61103
85-979-8888

MESSAGE:

Just today, I read about the birth of your son. God bless you and your family on the occasion of this blessed event. My youngest brother, #6 in our family, was born with Downs Syndrome. He also suffered from a heart defect and died at 9 mos. Thank you for loving what God has given to your family. My brother lives in every home that accepts with love a child of God with Downs syndrome.

God bless

Chris Weickert

chris@theweickerts.com

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 9:40 AM
To: Spencer, Kari L (GOV)
Cc: Mason, Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Fire Station 5

From: Wescott, Thomas A. [mailto:WescottTA@ci.anchorage.ak.us]
Sent: Saturday, April 26, 2008 5:16 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Fire Station 5

Governor Palin

I would first like to congratulate you and your family on the birth of Trig. It must be an exciting and busy time for the entire family. One day Trig will count his blessings when he reflects on his wonderful family. Once again congratulations to the entire family.

I am writing today to encourage you support and sign off on the money allocated to Fire Station 5. Fire Station 5 is a

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Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 9:40 AM
To: Spencer, Kari L (GOV)
Cc: Mason, Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Budget

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Saturday, April 26, 2008 4:36 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Budget

Web mail from: Ms. candace waugaman
address: p.o. box 80589 fairbanks AK 99708
907-479-2812

MESSAGE:

Hi Governor Palin,

First would like to thank you for your support of the funding on the design for the new Alaska State Museum, Archives, and Library to ultimately be built downtown in Juneau. We worked very hard several years ago to get the money for the land purchase, and it is a great project! I wen

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Cc: Cayce; Sunny C (GOV)
Subject: FW: Other

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Saturday, April 26, 2008 4:27 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Other

Web mail from: Mr. Cory Heimbuch
address: po box 211443 Auke Bay AK 99821

MESSAGE:

Madam Governor;

Juneau's power situation. Almost everyone I know is taking quite extensive measures to save/conserv. Regardless, many of us live in all electric housing situations. Many of us don't have a lot of expendable income. The argument that others are using not to help us out is....."Get used to it, many other places in Alaska already pay high electric bills!".....problem is, this is a small natural disaster and not a foreseen item to budget for, this is not something we have built into our income/expenditure models!

Please support Juneau residents in finding some relief to the expected high costs over the next several months. Juneau isn't immune to economic troubles and rising costs, not to mention small disasters.

Sincerely, Cory Heimbuch Juneau, AK

coryheimbuch@hotmail.com

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Cc: Mason, Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Other

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Sent: Saturday, April 26, 2008 3:52 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Other

Web mail from: Jennifer Butler
address: 7565 Passport Drive Ooltewah TN 37363
423-910-00093

MESSAGE:

Congratulations on the birth of Trig. I just read your 'story' delivered to me by the Family Research Council. You are my hero. While I do not have a Downs baby or a traditionally labeled 'special needs' child - I treat all of my three boys as if they are 'special needs.' Perhaps you could run for the Presidency next time - in your spare time.
:)

Blessings from a Pro-Life Mom in Tennessee

Jennifer Butler

jenilyndesigns@comcast.net

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 9:36 AM
To: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Health_Care

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From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Saturday, April 26, 2008 3:42 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Health_Care

Web mail from: Ms. Georgiann Young
address: 3676 Clarrington Avenue #7 Los Angeles CA 90034
310.836.3356

MESSAGE:

I received an Email, from a friend, regarding your wonderful stand on having your son, and your stand against abortion. You hit the mark when you asked for anyone that criticizes you about having a downs syndrome baby to look around at everyone else. Good for you. I have two good friends, a generation older than I who both have wonderful daughters, one apiece, that are the most loving, happy young women one could ever meet. And both were born with downs syndrome. These young women now live in a house with a counselor. They work full time and attend church. They are enjoying a full life. Not once did my friends think of having an abortion.

Please continue your positive example for all women and men, too.

I keep informed about Alaska as I my aunt lived in Tok, and my best friend's son is a fisherman out of Anchorage.

God bless you!

From a fan in Los Angeles, Georgiann C. K. Young.

gyoung@wlcs.org

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 9:34 AM
To: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Other

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From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Saturday, April 26, 2008 3:17 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Other

Web mail from: John & Marilyn Peters
address: 695 580th St. Alta IA 51002

MESSAGE:

Dear Governor Palin,

Congratulations to you and your husband on the recent birth of your son. You are truly blessed by God to have been give a special son. You are an insprition to us. We will keep your family in our prayers.

Sincerely,

John and Marilyn Peters

jrpalta2@hotmail.com

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 9:33 AM
To: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Other

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Sent: Saturday, April 26, 2008 2:21 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Other

Web mail from: Ms. Rose Sasaki
address: 615 W. 11th. Ave Ellensburg WA 98926

MESSAGE:

Governor Palin, Congratulations on both the birth of your lovely boy, Trig and your stand on the worth of every human being, unborn and born. It was such a relief and a pleasure to hear a public official speak in such a way. In Washington state it is indeed rare. Just wanted you to know how much you are appreciated and to let you know prayer for you and your family will be offered up. Thanks' again..Sincerely ,Rose Sasaki

rosesasaki@msn.com

Unknown

From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 9:31 AM
To: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Other

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Saturday, April 26, 2008 2:16 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Other

Web mail from: Mr. Thomas Theocharides
address: 16 Shady Tree Ln Colts Neck NJ 07722
732-682-1000

MESSAGE:

Governor Palin,

I want to commend you and your husband for not having an abortion because your newborn has Down's.

May God continue to bless and strengthen you as you put Him first in everything.

Dr. Thomas Theocharides

PS: If you want more information on abstinence, I would be happy to share some of the handouts I have developed in my ob/gyn practice...

doctort@nbog.net

Unknown

From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 9:13 AM
To: Leighow, Sharon W (GOV)
Cc: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Other

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Saturday, April 26, 2008 1:45 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Other

Web mail from: Mr. Garrett Heckman
address: 5116 Highland Rd #112 Baton Rouge LA 70808
214-536-1181

MESSAGE:

Good afternoon, Governor Palin! My name's Garrett, and I'm an international relations master's student at LSU. I actually identify myself as a pro-life libertarian, but I have been very impressed with your work in Alaska. I actually intended to write you a letter, but knowing you are very busy I assumed you would appreciate brevity.

The reason I'm writing to you today is I had heard (via the Rush Limbaugh show) that you were on a list of possible VP candidates. Although it's possible the list he provided was mere speculation, I hope that, if it is true, that you would consider running alongside Sen. McCain. The current shortlist that I have seen, naturally, has focused on governors or senators from strategic states which will possibly be battlegrounds for the November election. However, I believe your success (as well as popularity) in Alaska will show to be invaluable during the election season.

Although I am ideologically a libertarian, I do typically vote Republican, as I'm sure my concern over the 2008 Presidential election has shown. I fear the type of socialist Supreme Court Justices we would see nominated under the leadership of a borderline socialist like Sen. Obama or an egomaniac like Sen. Clinton. I do think you are the best choice for Vice President and I urge you to consider should Sen. McCain approach you. Thank you for your time and your consideration. I do hope you consider blessing the rest of the United States with the talent God has given you and shown in your work as Governor of the Great State of Alaska.

Garrett Heckman

garrett.heckman@gmail.com

Unknown

From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 9:12 AM
To: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Other

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Saturday, April 26, 2008 1:37 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Other

Web mail from: Mr. David McGehee
address: 540 Audubon Drive Ruston LA 71270

MESSAGE:

Dear Governor Palin,

I am a practicing pediatrician in Louisiana. I recently read of your delivery and some of the "concern" surrounding it. I applaud you and your husband for carrying Trig to term. Your views are shared by the majority of Americans, yet not the majority of elites. Thanks for turning the tide of our nation to life and the blessings of Almighty God. May the hope of our Lord Jesus Christ be with you as He bears you on angel wings.

Respectfully,

David McGehee

davidwmcgehee@gmail.com

Unknown

From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 9:10 AM
To: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Other

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Saturday, April 26, 2008 12:25 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Other

Web mail from: Ms. Robyn Williams
address: 3460 W. Golden Ln. Chandler AZ 85226
480-857-6277

MESSAGE:

Dear Governor Palin,

Congratulations on the birth of your new baby! I am a mother of two boys in Arizona, and my younger son (Luke, age 3) has Down syndrome. He is a joy, and I know that he is fearfully and wonderfully made (Psalm 139). Your little Trig is as well! We know how overwhelming this can be, so we just wanted you to know that you and your family are in our prayers (especially if Trig has any immediate health issues).

Thank you for choosing to carry your baby to term in a world where a disturbing 9 out of 10 women would not have made that choice.

God bless you and your family!

Robyn Williams

robyn24_us@yahoo.com

Unknown

From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 9:09 AM
To: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Other

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Saturday, April 26, 2008 12:23 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Other

Web mail from: Ms. Marjorie Sielinski
address: 15055 White Post Ct. Centreville VA 20121

MESSAGE:

Dear Governor Palin,

Although I am not a resident of Alaska, I felt compelled to write you after I read your statements regarding your newborn son in an article from the Family Research Council. I admire your courage in "going public" regarding your son's Down's Syndrome and want to share with you what a treasure these children are. I have a Down's cousin who is now 50 years old. I have always been very close to him and his family and can tell you from experience that these children are the most loving people on this earth. I am sure you have heard this from other parents and relatives of Down's children. I wish you and your family well as you welcome this wonderful child and pray that you will all come to understand a saying that is close to my heart:

"God created Down's children to teach the rest of us about love."

Sincerely,

Marjorie Sielinski

marjoriesielinski@yahoo.com

Unknown

From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 9:08 AM
To: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Other

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Saturday, April 26, 2008 11:23 AM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Other

Web mail from: Ms. Kathy Swick
address: 3460 New Liberty Road Clarkesville GA 30523

MESSAGE:

Gov. Palin--

We congratulate you on the birth of your fifth child Trig &
on your testimony for life in the midst of a culture of opposition to life--
may the Lord bless you & your family,
& may you be an inspiration to many!
sincerely,

Kathy Swick & family, Georgia

kmsanna@hotmail.com

Unknown

From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 9:05 AM
To: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Other

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Saturday, April 26, 2008 10:25 AM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Other

Web mail from: Ms. Tiffany Peterson
address: 56 Quincy Drive Bedford NH 03110

MESSAGE:

I would just like to congratulate you on the birth of your fifth child, and thank you for your public pro-life stand. As a mother of seven myself, I am very pro-life, and am so pleased to see someone in public office hold firm to their values & practice what they preach. May God bless you & your family, and may Trig bring you much happiness in the years to come!

dandtpeterson@comcast.net

Unknown

From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 8:59 AM
To: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Other

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Saturday, April 26, 2008 9:57 AM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Other

Web mail from: Mr. Jack Yankee
address: 200 Mustang Drive Ruidoso NM 88345
575-258-3514

MESSAGE:

Dear Governor:

You are to be commended for standing up for your pro-life standards and commitment. Thank you for having Trig! It is rare to find a politician who means what he/she says.

Jack

wjyankee@beyondbb.com

Unknown

From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 8:59 AM
To: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Other

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Saturday, April 26, 2008 9:52 AM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Other

Web mail from: Ms. Melissa Hevener
address: 2346 Geneva Avenue Glenside PA 19038

MESSAGE:

Dear Governor Palin,

I hope you can find it in your busy schedule to read this email. I heard about your inspiring story regarding your child. I wanted to bring to your attention an organization that works with Down Syndrome children who have made a difference in the lives of thousands of these children and their families. I have seen with my own eyes the incredible achievements these children have made with the help of the staff at the Institutes for the Achievement of Human Potential, a international non-profit founded by Glenn Doman.

As you probably know, Down Syndrome children are far more intelligent than the world makes them out to be. This organization has know this and taught this for the last 55 years. These children have the capacity to make great gains that the world never suspected were possible.

Again, I hope you can find time to visit this link,

<http://www.iahp.org/Dow.87.0.html>

Or better yet, read Glenn Doman's book "What to do About Your Brain-Injured child". The information in this book has created a better quality of life for many children, and when

I heard your story I thought this would be right for you.

I wish you and your family all the best and congratulations on the arrival of your son.

Best regards,

Melissa Hevener

Philadelphia, PA

mhevener@temple.edu

Unknown

From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 8:59 AM
To: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Other

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Saturday, April 26, 2008 9:26 AM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Other

Web mail from: Mr. Ed Mullen
address: 2290 Waverley Road Waverley NS Canada AK B2R1Z
902-861-3962

MESSAGE:

Dear Governor Palin,

Congratulations to you and your husband on the birth of your fifth child, Trig.

Your steadfast support for life and family sounds a clear bugle call to rally good people to resist the builders of a secular humanist society, the culture of death. Those seeking truth, however, will hear you and be glad.

May God bless and keep you and your family,

Kindest regards,

Ed & Pauline Mullen

emullen@ns.sympatico.ca

Unknown

From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 8:55 AM
To: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Ak_History_Facts

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Saturday, April 26, 2008 9:17 AM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Ak_History_Facts

Web mail from: Ms. carol gibson

address: 300 palmetto park blvd box 1215 lexington SC 29072
803 996 0497

MESSAGE:

DEAR GOVERNOR PALIN, I WOULD LIKE TO CONGRATULATE YOU ON YOUR NEW SON TO YOU AND YOUR HUSBAND--THE EMAIL I RECEIVED TODAY BROUGHT BACK SUCH MEMORIES FOR ME, AS MY WONDERFUL HUSBAND [DEC] WAS STATIONED AT WILDWOOD STATION , KENAI ALASKA AND WE WERE THERE WHEN IT BECAME A STATE-MY HUSBAND WAS IN THE ARMY-WE TRAVELED EVERYWHERE AND JOE[MY HUSBAND KILLED A BIG MOOSE THERE AND WE SHARED IT WITH THE ORPHANAGE AND JUST EVERYBODY AND HE AND SOME OF THE GIS CAUGHT A HUGE SALMON AND WE WATCHED THE SPAWNING OF THE SALMONS AND WE WENT TO THE HOMER SPIT QUITE OFTEN AND ATE AT THE 4 ROYALS RESTAURANT IN KENAI, MADE MANY TRIPS TO ANCHORAGE, SO WHEN I SAW THE EMAIL CONCERNING YOU, I JUST FELT SO GOOD AND JUST HAD TO EMAIL YOU-I DO HOPE YOU DONT THINK IM TOO FORWARD, BUT I JUST GOT EXCITED-I ADMIRE YOU SO VERY MUCH AS GOVERNOR AND WISH YOU THE BEST-THANK YOU AND GOD BLESS CAROL GIBSON, WIFE OF DECEASED SFC JOE GIBSON, US ARMY RETIRED
CAROLINA99@ALLTEL.NET

carolina99@alltel.net

Unknown

From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 8:53 AM
To: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Other

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Saturday, April 26, 2008 9:05 AM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Other

Web mail from: Ms. Beverly Brimer
address: 2601 Woodwind Hills Lane Lakeland FL 33812
863-647-3856

MESSAGE:

I just wanted to congratulate Governor Palin on the birth of her new son, Trig. I am the mother of a 23 year old son with Down Syndrome. Jeremy is a joy and a blessing in our lives. My husband calls him his "hero". He loves the Lord with such a pure love that challenges his parents all the time. He knows Scripture like you wouldn't believe and can pull out and quote a verse in ways that put us to shame. We need to study more.

Jeremy is working almost full time and living in a house with two other young men. He is self-supportive and doing great. Our philosophy when raising him was that he would be treated no different than our other children and would be given the same opportunities to grow that they had. I believe we all have benefitted by that.

Enjoy your beautiful son. He will bring so much joy to your hearts.

Thank you for all you do to protect families.

Beverly Brimer

Suwannee54@msn.com

Unknown

From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 8:52 AM
To: Mason, Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Other

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Saturday, April 26, 2008 8:41 AM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Other

Web mail from: Mr. Skip Ryman
address: 621 Council Box 347 Yakutat AK 99689
(907) 784-3396

MESSAGE:

Yakutat has been my home for the past fifty three years. Like most Alaskans I have had my opportunities to personally interact with all our governors to some degree and even be friends with two but, I have never been so proud to call someone "my governor" as I have been since the day I read your family statement regarding Trig and his challenges.

I am sure I will be disagreeing with you over some of life's little things like CIP budgets and gas pipelines but never on the issue of you and your model of personal strength, conviction and sense of family.

italio@ptialaska.net

Unknown

From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 8:51 AM
To: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: General_Administration

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Saturday, April 26, 2008 8:33 AM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: General_Administration

Web mail from: Ms. Carolyn Dapier
address: 944 North Sheridan Road Lake Forest IL 60045
(847)234-3321

MESSAGE:

You go, girl!!! Congratulations on your new baby boy Trig, and God's blessing on you, him and your whole family. I don't know if you, like I, were over forty when giving birth to your fifth (our Pierson, #5, is also a boy), but when faced with the question of testing during what was deemed a "high-risk pregnancy", we didn't even bother. We figured he was our baby no matter what the details. Being in the public eye as you are, your Godly choices and right thinking provide the example that thousands of words could never accomplish. Know that there's a whole crew of women at Christ Church, Lake Forest, Illinois who are hugely proud of you as a woman in our corner

carydapier@aol.com

Unknown

From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 8:51 AM
To: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Health_Care

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Saturday, April 26, 2008 8:14 AM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Health_Care

Web mail from: Jim Hix
address: 2709 Safari Cir Plano TX 75025
972-208-1689

MESSAGE:

I do not live in your state but I do want to wish you and your family all the blessing possible for your positive exceptance of your 5th child. We have one granddaughter that was borned with Down Syndrone and we feel blessed everyday because of her. She is a grown lady now and is working and enjoying the life that God gave her. A hug from Courtney is worth waiting for. The love you give her will be repayed many times.

Our prayers are with you and I know you will be blessed many times in the years to come.
Blessings,

Jim and Shirley Hix

jimhix@msn.com

Unknown

From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 8:51 AM
To: Spencer; Kari L (GOV)
Cc: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Other

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Saturday, April 26, 2008 8:14 AM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Other

Web mail from: Ms. Marianne Merrill
address: 2559 Brookshire Loop Anchorage AK 99504
907 3397131

MESSAGE:

I want all funding stripped from the Carter Center. Meeting with the anti-Israel, pro-terrorist group Hamas is an abuse of power and misuse of American dollars. In fact I consider it an act of treason. I will be sending you a copy petition I have signed and it will be presented to congress. Please

Unknown

From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 8:50 AM
To: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Other

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Saturday, April 26, 2008 7:17 AM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Other

Web mail from: Ms. Frank Parenteau
address: 6689 E. Four Peaks Way Florence AZ 85232

MESSAGE:

Dear Gov. Palin and Family,

Family Research Council, Tony Perkins, just had an article about your new son. We are so excited for you. God must hold you in very high regard to give you such exceptional blessings. Congratulations! 4 children!!

Our son flies for Cathay Pacific, Los Angeles/Anchorage/Hong Kong route. His flight schedule will now be an excellent reminder to pray for you personally and for your wonderful family.

Indeed, The Lamb Won.

Mary L. "Rusty" Parenteau

www.thelambwon.com

mlprusty@thelambwon.com

Unknown

From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 8:49 AM
To: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Labor

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Saturday, April 26, 2008 6:37 AM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Labor

Web mail from: Mr. Bill Beckman
address: N7239 Rock Lake Rd Lake Mills WI 53551
920-648-2402

MESSAGE:

Forgive the title. It seemed so natural for what I want to say.

A tip o' my cap to you, maam. I just learned of your giving birth to Trig.

There is a special place in the heart of our God for people who live their faith, and I'm certain He has reserved a spot there for you.

My best to you, your husband and, of course, Trig!!!

bbeck3@verizon.net

Unknown

From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 8:49 AM
To: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Other

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Saturday, April 26, 2008 3:44 AM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Other

Web mail from: Ms. Eileen Haupt
address: 5 Old Pump Road Jericho VT 05465

MESSAGE:

Dear Gov. Palin,

Congratulations on the birth of your precious baby boy Trig! You ARE indeed blessed!

I have a 9-yr-old daughter with Down syndrome named Sadie. She is an absolute joy! You will find out in time (if not already) that Trig will be one of the greatest blessings of your life. There is truly something very special about children (and adults) with Down syndrome. You will know exactly what I mean. Only a parent of a child with Down syndrome can understand this special love.

I hope your little boy is healthy. My Sadie did have a heart defect and had heart surgery at the age of 3-1/2 months. She did very well though, and she has been a very healthy girl ever since.

I thank you for being such a public witness to life! Sadie's birth is what brought me into the pro-life cause, and I am now very active in this endeavor. You sound like a wonderful governor. I am so pleased to hear of a governor being so pro-life.

You sound like the kind of person who will adjust just fine, but if you ever feel the need to contact other mothers with Down syndrome, please feel free to contact me. God bless!

Sincerely,

Eileen Haupt

Jericho, Vermont

p.s.....I just thought of something....I had e-mailed a mom of a child with DS who has a blog about DS, about marching in the 2009 March for Life in Washington and trying to gather a group of families of children with Down syndrome to march to raise awareness of the high abortion rate of babies with DS. Would this be something you'd be interested in?

vteileen@comcast.net

Unknown

From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 8:49 AM
To: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Other

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Saturday, April 26, 2008 1:30 AM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Other

Web mail from: Ms. Helen Middlebrooke
address: 250 Clara Road Toto OS 96910
671-477-6706

MESSAGE:

Dear Mrs. Palin,

This is my second attempt. Please forgive the earlier empty e-mail.

I just read in the Family Research Council newsletter that you have given birth to a Dear Sweetie with Down syndrome. I am the mother of nine, who for many reasons (some of which elude me) lives on Guam. My eighth child, Deborah, has Down syndrome.

Someday I'd love to talk with you about this challenge, mother to mother. As a busy public servant, this may not be possible, but God may allow it.

If nothing else, I want to tell you about a wonderful program that will help your child. Please visit the website of the National Association for Child Development (www.nacd.org). These wonderful people have the very highest expectations for children with Down syndrome. The founder of NACD, Robert J. Doman Jr., is probably the foremost expert on the education of children with DS in the country. Children with DS who are taught with NACD's approach are in excelling. They graduate with real diplomas and go to college.

Do check them out.

God bless you. And congratulations.

Helen (Mrs. Michael) Middlebrooke, Guam, mom to Deborah and her eight siblings

inmiddle@guam.net

Unknown

From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 8:48 AM
To: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Other

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Saturday, April 26, 2008 12:55 AM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Other

Web mail from: Dr. Clifton A. McClain III
address: 1603 St. Margarets Rd. Annapolis MD 21409
410-757-7671

MESSAGE:

Dear Honorable Governor Palin,

I just read the article about your new son Trig. My wife and I would encourage you and your husband and family into what a Blessing a special needs child can be. Ruth delivered our 3rd child 41 years ago, she was 26 at that time. We were advised to institutionalize Matthew but we refused. Matt is great with numbers, remembers people and their names and what they were doing the last time they were together, he loves our Lord and Saviour.

I am an Ob-Gyn who recently found out about Ambrotose, Matthew has been taking it for about one year and has been able to go off of

wellbutrin which he was taking for anxiety, he has been fine.

We wish you well as you raise Trig and govern that beautiful

State of Alaska and know that God will honor you choice to honor him.
Clif and Ruth McClain 4-26-08

Sincerely,

docandruth@mac.com

Unknown

From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 8:47 AM
To: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Other

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Friday, April 25, 2008 11:09 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Other

Web mail from: Ms. Linda Stilson
address: 8925 Los Altos Dr. Buena Park CA 90620

MESSAGE:

Our family wants to congratulate your family on the arrival of your new son Trig. You are a blessing and inspiration. May God pour out his blessings and grace in you lives. You live and believe what you profess. We need more people like you.

linda_avonlady@sbcglobal.net

Unknown

From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 8:46 AM
To: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Health_Care

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Friday, April 25, 2008 10:18 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Health_Care

Web mail from: Ms. Renee Novo
address: 6177 Tuolomne Ct san jose CA 95123

MESSAGE:

CONGRATULATIONS ON THE BIRTH OF YOUR BEAUTIFUL BABY BOY

mo3bd@yahoo.com

Unknown

From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 8:46 AM
To: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Other

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Friday, April 25, 2008 10:16 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Other

Web mail from: Mr. Raul Arbiso
address: 10882 Flower St. Stanton CA 90680

MESSAGE:

My comment is but a small simple one. With humbleness I thank the Lord for the priviledge of reading articles from the Family Research Council about Governor Palin having their fifth child. And yes, Trig is not the last Blessing The Lord will bestow upon the Palin family. Senator clinton and Speaker peloski are poor examples of women in high places, but I would gladly and proudly vote for Palin if she would ever consider running for the highest office in the land. I Praise the Lord and thank the Lord for people like Palin. I know everyone doesn't always agree on everything, but the people/residents of Alaska should be happy and proud to have a Governor such as Palin.

Thanks for your time.....

Raul Arbiso

www.Rauls-Kids-Mall.com

"Raising Money For Children's Needs"

714-761-2366

videocoach@aol.com

Unknown

From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 8:43 AM
To: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Other

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From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Friday, April 25, 2008 9:59 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Other

Web mail from: Ms. Nancy Cooper
address: 1836 Old Haywood Rd. Asheville NC 28806
(828) 667-9486

MESSAGE:

Our family offer our heartiest congratulations to the Palin family on the arrival of your new baby! What a blessing he is and will be to your family and to others! We honor you all for your obvious love of your children and family. You shine in a dark world, and we thank God for you. Enjoy your lovely boy!

Mr. and Mrs. Steven (Nancy) Cooper
Asheville, NC

ndcooper1@juno.com

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Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 8:43 AM
To: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Other

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From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Friday, April 25, 2008 9:42 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Other

Web mail from: Ms. Mary Jane Balcom
address: 9910 E. Houghton Lake Dr. Houghton Lake MI 48629
989-422-4334

MESSAGE:

I just read an article about the birth of your 5th child and was very impressed with your opinion about abortion.

My daughter is the mother of a beautiful 16 year old daughter named Sarah. She has been a joy and blessing in all of our lives.

Never underestimate their possibilities. Sarah is in the 9th grade and she will be graduating from high school in three more years. Sarah has always been mainstreamed in school and it has proved to be a positive experience. In the younger grades it was difficult for her because the other children did not always understand but now these same kids have matured and they love and appreciate Sarah. She is the princess of the class. She is even invited to sleep overs by her classmates. She runs track, downhill skis, and swims like a fish. She is amazing.

I felt compelled to write this note to you as an encouragement from a grandmother who watched her 21 year old daughter give birth to a down syndrome child and say to me the next morning "Mom I know what we have to do! We have to help this child to develop to her fullest potential" and her and her husband set out to do just that and the results have been wonderful. Difficult at time but wonderful.

God bless you and your family,

Mary Jane Balcom

janeb2@charter.net

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Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 8:42 AM
To: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Other

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From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Friday, April 25, 2008 9:09 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Other

Web mail from: Ms. Alyson Dunn

address: 999 Kothmann Road Dripping Springs TX 78620

512-858-0183

MESSAGE:

Dear Mrs. Palin:

Congratulations on the birth of your precious son, Trig. As a mother of an 18-month-old darling with Down Syndrome, I can testify to the "unspeakable joy" of raising a child with designer genes. That extra 21st chromosome is the love chromosome, as my pediatrician says, and it's true. My Noah is also my fifth child and second son, and he has been a blessing to our family from day one. And the blessing is just more apparent every day. He has brought out the best in my children and in my husband and me. We are all much more affectionate, loving, and just plain happy since Noah has come along. Why? I think it's because we, as human beings, tend to give what we get, and those wonderful things are what we get from Noah. Your son will probably have an extra chromosome worth of love and happiness to share. Enjoy him.

I don't know if Trig is facing any medical issues. I pray he is healthy. While medical issues are common, my experience with Noah has been it is not a for-sure thing. My Noah had a small VSD which closed on its own with no need for intervention. No other medical problems, so be not afraid. He has not even had to have antibiotics, not even an ear infection. He was a difficult nurser, but we pushed through and he did fine with a little extra effort.

Occupational therapy and joining a Yahoo group for parenting children with Down syndrome have been my greatest helps. I typically don't mess with Yahoo groups, but I can't say this loud enough - it's the parents who have the answers, not the doctors. Doctors know what they have been told or read, parents know from experience.

I know this sounds ridiculous, but if there is anything I can do, please feel free to contact me. I know it helped me to talk to another mom of a child with Down syndrome. You are very blessed to be Trig's mom.

Sincerely,

Alyson Dunn

dunnclan@thywillbedunn.us

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 8:39 AM
To: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Other

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Friday, April 25, 2008 8:13 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Other

Web mail from: Ms. Jane Tilton
address: 6671 S. Calle de la Cereza Hereford AZ 85615
520-378-9406

MESSAGE:

Dear Gov. Palin,

Our thoughts and prayers are with you on the birth of your son. We also have a Down Syndrome son, Jacob, born when I was 44. He will have his 21st birthday this summer and has been a joy and a blessing (and also a lot of intense work and, certainly, some tears) in our family. He has 8 brothers and sisters to whom he has been an inspiration.

Jacob reads the Scriptures by himself, serves as a part-time volunteer at the Bishop's Storehouse, a food bank-type operation where he fills orders, carries them out for clients, works in the kitchen, and in the warehouse. He loves music, bowling, camping, playing learning games on the computer, reading and playing pool. He has never met a person he didn't love--and most of them love him back.

He had certain health challenges that we were blessed to find help for and he is now one of the healthiest DS children in America, I do believe. We worked with Bob Doman of the NACD to design a program to help him achieve his potential, and I'd recommend the NACD to anyone with a special needs child. They empower families to help their children.

God bless you and your family for choosing life for this special boy--I won't tell you things won't sometimes be hard, but I can tell you they will be worth it.

Jane Tilton

lynntilton1@msn.com

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 8:38 AM
To: Leighow; Sharon W (GOV)
Cc: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Other

Ladies,

I know that Jessalynn is out so I am sending this request to you Sharon.

Donna

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Friday, April 25, 2008 8:12 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Other

Web mail from: Ms. LouAnn Edwards
address: 11370 SW Fairfield St Beaverton OR 97005
503-644-8989

MESSAGE:

Congratulations on the birth of your precious son! You are an inspiration to the entire country. I host a life-affirming cable TV talk show called Woman 2 Woman in the Portland metro area and wish to extend an open invitation for you to be on our show if your travels ever take you to Oregon. It would be an extreme honor for the people of Oregon to "meet you." (Today, I interviewed Dr. Alveda King!)

Blessings to you, your family and the lucky people of Alaska!

LouAnn Edwards

Woman 2 Woman Show

Edwardslaw8@aol.com

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 8:36 AM
To: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Other

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Friday, April 25, 2008 8:10 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Other

Web mail from: Ms. Susan Vincent
address: 1335 Wigeon Drive Corona CA 92882

MESSAGE:

Thank you for your fortitude in fighting for the rights of unborn children. Thank you especially for the example you've set for those who might hesitate to bring to life a child with special needs. God has greatly blessed you with your son Trig. Babies are such a wonderful gift. They are an example of God's great love for us and of His trust in us to raise those children according to His word.

When I was young I was very selfish, thinking only of myself. I was single and, I thought, an independent woman. I made the horrible mistake of having an abortion. At the time it didn't bother me. I know, this is just awful, and now I live with the regret and the guilt. I know God has forgiven me but I just can't stop thinking about my choice. I'm thankful for people like you who fight for this precious life and grateful you've chosen to share your experience. God truly has a gentle soldier fighting for Him and His creation.

choose2obey@yahoo.com

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 8:35 AM
To: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Other

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Friday, April 25, 2008 8:01 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Other

Web mail from: Mr. steve pasko
address: 402 gresham ct bel air MD 21014
4106388889

MESSAGE:

Dear Gov. Palin,

I respect your brave and honorable decision to allow Trig to be born. My wife and I faced a similar situation 15 years ago when prenatal genetic testing determined our daughter, Faith, would have Down Syndrome. She has brought untold joy into our lives, and now our other daughter, 24, works at Johns Hopkins Hospital with people with developmental disabilities. My wife volunteers at Capernaum Ministries, a Christian organization devoted to bringing happiness to children with disabilities. In other words, Trig will change your life for the better. May God bless your decision to do the right thing.

Sincerely,

Steve Pasko

stevepasko@comcast.net

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 8:34 AM
To: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Other

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Friday, April 25, 2008 7:46 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Other

Web mail from: Ms. Lorrie Johnson
address: 773 N. 21st Avenue Brighton CO 80601

MESSAGE:

Dear Governor:

Thank you so very much and God bless you and your family for living out the values you espouse.

Lorrie D. Johnson

lordj@4dv.net

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 8:34 AM
To: Spencer; Kari L (GOV)
Cc: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Other

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Friday, April 25, 2008 7:34 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Other

Web mail from: Mr. Ronald Inouye
address: 3036 Riverview Dr. Fairbanks AK 99709

MESSAGE:

Governor Palin -- Congratulations on the arrival of your new son!!

Thank you for allocating funds for the planning and design of the proposed State Library, Archives and Museum facility, and I urge the full \$7.5 million included in SB221 be appropriated. The Territorial and State's historical and cultural treasures a

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 8:34 AM
To: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Other

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From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Friday, April 25, 2008 7:31 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Other

Web mail from: Stephen Zawkiewicz
address: 1323 Bernardo Ct. NE Albuquerque NM 87113

MESSAGE:

I just read about you and Trig on the Family Research Council's email newsletter. May God continue to bless you and your family.

stephenz@integrity.com

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 8:34 AM
To: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Other

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Friday, April 25, 2008 7:29 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Other

Web mail from: Ms. Cindy Northon
address: 1026 Progress St. Apt. B405 Pittsburgh PA 15212

MESSAGE:

Governor,

Congratulations on the birth of your dear son! What a wonderful occasion! Thank you too for being a proponent for the dignity of every human life. God bless you and your family.

Kind regards,
Cindy Northon, Esq.

cindy.northon@gmail.com

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 8:24 AM
To: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Ak_History_Facts

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Friday, April 25, 2008 6:57 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Ak_History_Facts

Web mail from: Mr. Russ Davis

address: 5820 Turtle Creek Dr., #3 Fort Wayne IN 46816

MESSAGE:

I just heard from my daily Family Research Council email that

God continues to richly bless you and Todd in your receiving His love gift of priceless Trig with his special challenges but vastly greater special blessings that kids without Downs syndrome usually lack, such as (what I know from professional personal interaction) the tremendous affection and great trust that usually makes so-called "normal" people look exceedingly morose and untrustworthy by comparison.

As you know far better than I, Anthony and Stanton and their fellows would have rejected as evil monsters not fit to be women most of today's phony so-called "feminists" getting the media attention (<http://www.feministsforlife.org/history/index.htm>) insanely obsessed with butchering these fabulous treasures, of which one alone outweighs all the world's gold and jewels in value, though nonetheless stemming from the priceless divine union God gave you and Todd and thus necessarily subservient to it, keeping kids in their proper place UNDER the parental order likewise UNDER the divine order as our Founding Fathers and their "one Christian nation under God" understood before most of today's mindless and lawless fascist "authorities" in most of all three branches of government sought to trash it all.

One thing I was sad to hear you have been deceived by (tell a lie often enough and people will believe anything, as with the NYT's Durante deceiving the entire Western world into thinking Stalin was such a nice guy until Muggeridge eventually exposed him after massive rejection of the truth by most) is the similarly ubiquitous, practically universal, lawless and fascist "gay" lie propaganda that has enslaved the country and even the world (as Hitler did: The Pink Swastika (www.abidingtruth.com/pfrc/books/pinkswastika/html/the_pinkswastika_4th_edition_-_final.htm) as badly as the lie of the equally lawless and fascist

antiChristian bigotry religion of evolution pretending to be science.

For the exposure of the "gay" propaganda lie and its certain destruction of civilization unless successfully opposed, see "The 'gay' invention" at

<http://touchstonemag.com/archives/article.php?id=18-10-036-f>

For a similar exposure (but vastly more exhaustive) of the propaganda lie fraud of the antiChristian bigotry religion pretending to be science called evolution, see www.answersinGenesis.org.

Give Trig a hug and a kiss from his loving adoptive uncle Russ in Fort Wayne, Indiana.

God bless you and yours, Russ

russed@onlyinternet.net

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 8:17 AM
To: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Other

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Friday, April 25, 2008 6:29 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Other

Web mail from: Karen Beaty
address: 1605 Brin Drive Normal IL 61761
309.212.7283

MESSAGE:

Thank you for giving birth to your son - and for standing up for what is right! May God continue to bless you and your husband, Trig and your other children!

Karen Beaty

MomBeaty@gmail.com

Unknown

From: Kelly, Russell T (GOV) [russ.kelly@alaska.gov]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 8:16 AM
To: 'gov.palin@yahoo.com'; Hughes; Rosanne D (GOV); Leighow; Sharon W (GOV)
Cc: Morgan; Katryn L (GOV)
Subject: Re: Shirley - the bridge

That's correct, the way you have it here.

----- Original Message -----

From: gov.palin@yahoo.com <gov.palin@yahoo.com>
To: Hughes, Rosanne D (GOV); Leighow, Sharon W (GOV); Kelly, Russell T (GOV)
Cc: Morgan, Katryn L (GOV)
Sent: Mon Apr 28 07:37:14 2008
Subject: Shirley - the bridge

Still not sure how to pronounce her name, as I'm speaking this morning on naming the bridge after Shirley "Dih-men-tiff". (?)

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From: Hughes, Rosanne D (GOV) [rosanne.hughes@alaska.gov]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 8:16 AM
To: 'gov.palin@yahoo.com'; Leighow, Sharon W (GOV); Kelly, Russell T (GOV)
Cc: Morgan, Katryn L (GOV)
Subject: Re: Shirley - the bridge

Yes --

I just checked

----- Original Message -----

From: gov.palin@yahoo.com <gov.palin@yahoo.com>
To: Hughes, Rosanne D (GOV); Leighow, Sharon W (GOV); Kelly, Russell T (GOV)
Cc: Morgan, Katryn L (GOV)
Sent: Mon Apr 28 07:37:14 2008
Subject: Shirley - the bridge

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 8:15 AM
To: Wilken; Jessica M (GOV)
Cc: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Oil&Gas

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Friday, April 25, 2008 6:06 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Oil&Gas

Web mail from: Ms. laurie boyd
address: po box 8123 ketchikan AK 99901
907-247-7601

MESSAGE:

Governor Palin,

First let me congratulate you on the birth of your child. Alaska is proud of the hard work you do and wish you and your family all the best.

I am deeply concerned about fuel costs and am fearful of the impact it is having on my family, our own town as well as our state and country.

I am a Case

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From: Hughes, Rosanne D (GOV) [rosanne.hughes@alaska.gov]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 8:11 AM
To: 'gov.palin@yahoo.com'; Leighow, Sharon W (GOV); Kelly, Russell T (GOV)
Cc: Morgan, Katryn L (GOV)
Subject: Re: Shirley - the bridge

I think that's correct. Will double-check.

----- Original Message -----

From: gov.palin@yahoo.com <gov.palin@yahoo.com>
To: Hughes, Rosanne D (GOV); Leighow, Sharon W (GOV); Kelly, Russell T (GOV)
Cc: Morgan, Katryn L (GOV)
Sent: Mon Apr 28 07:37:14 2008
Subject: Shirley - the bridge

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From: gov.palin@yahoo.com
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 7:37 AM
To: Hughes; Rosanne D (GOV); Leighow; Sharon W (GOV); Kelly; Russell T (GOV)
Cc: Morgan; Katryn L (GOV)
Subject: Shirley - the bridge

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 7:33 AM
To: Hughes; Rosanne D (GOV)
Subject: Re: Bike blessing

She's great! I'm so thankful for our new additions in Comm!

-----Original Message-----

From: Rosanne Hughes
To: Governor Sarah Palin
Sent: Apr 27, 2008 6:23 PM
Subject: RE: Bike blessing

She's doing a great job, isn't she. What a gem she is!

-----Original Message-----

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com [mailto:gov.sarah@yahoo.com <mailto:gov.sarah@yahoo.com>]
Sent: Sun 4/27/2008 5:42 PM
To: Morgan, Katryn L (GOV); Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)
Cc: Hughes, Rosanne D (GOV)
Subject: Bike blessing

Kate- thanks so much for the bike blessing info also - I'll use it at next week's event... It sounds like it may be a bigger event even than yesterday's bike blessing.

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 7:41 AM
To: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Cc: Perry; Kristina Y (GOV)
Subject: Spring programs

For sched: more spring programs Wed 10am and 7pm at valley schools.

Sent from my BlackBerry® device from Cellular One

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From: gov.palin@yahoo.com
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 7:39 AM
To: McBride; Rhonda (GOV)
Subject: Fw: Shirley - the bridge

Do you know correct pronunciation of her name:

-----Original Message-----

From: gov.palin@yahoo.com

Date: Mon, 28 Apr 2008 15:37:14

To: "Rosanne Hughes" <rosanne.hughes@alaska.gov>, "Sharon Leighow" <sharon.leighow@alaska.gov>, "Russ Kelly" <russ.kelly@alaska.gov>

Cc: kate.morgan@alaska.gov

Subject: Shirley - the bridge

Still not sure how to pronounce her name, as I'm speaking this morning on naming the bridge after Shirley "Dih-men-tiff". (?)

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 8:23 AM
To: Kim; Anna C (GOV); Cayce; Sunny C (GOV)
Subject: FW: Alaska Energy Crisis

From: Rep. Beth Kerttula [mailto:Representative_Beth_Kerttula@legis.state.ak.us]
Sent: Friday, April 25, 2008 6:28 PM
To: Bettles Lodge; Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Cc: Kookesh, Albert (LAA); Salmon, Woodie W (LAA); Barnes, Nancy C (LAA); Harris, John (LAA); Samuels, Ralph (LAA); Green, Lyda N (LAA); Ellis, Johnny (LAA); Therriault, Gene (LAA); Crawford, Harry (LAA); Gardner, Berta (LAA); Seaton, Paul (LAA); Ramras, Jay B (LAA); Hauke, Aurora (LAA)
Subject: RE: Alaska Energy Crisis

I think this is a good idea, thanks for the effort. Beth

From: Bettles Lodge [mailto:info@bettleslodge.com]
Sent: Friday, April 25, 2008 7:42 AM
To: governor@alaska.gov
Cc: Sen. Albert Kookesh; Rep. Woodie Salmon; Nancy Barnes; Rep. John Harris; Rep. Ralph Samuels; Rep. Beth Kerttula; Sen. Lyda Green; Sen. Johnny Ellis; Sen. Gene Therriault; Rep. Harry Crawford; Rep. Berta Gardner; Rep. Paul Seaton; Rep. Jay Ramras
Subject: Alaska Energy Crisis

Dear Governor Palin,

This is an article that is in today's Anchorage paper regarding the energy crisis we are facing.

<http://www.adn.com/opinion/compass/story/386349.html>

I am asking the help of the Governors office and the legislature in moving forward HB 288 regarding Net Metering. Thousands of Alaskans are willing to make the substantial invest in alternative energy to help reduce our oil consumption but we need a net metering law to make it cost feasible. I ask you, why is Alaska one of only a handful of states that does not have metering?

It would be a tremendous boost to alternative energy if the legislature was to pass HB 288 during the upcoming special session. Doing so would bring a tremendous surge in installation of alternative energy systems this construction season before next winter.

Thank you for your time and your consideration of helping all Alaskans to reduce our dependency on oil.

Sincerely,
Dan Klaes
Mayor
City of Bettles

10/22/2009

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 8:17 AM
To: Kerttula; Beth (LAA)
Subject: RE: Energy Crisis Declaration

Thank you for writing to Alaska Governor Sarah Palin. The concerns, opinions, and/or information you have sent are important and valuable to the Governor. Although she is unable to respond to each and every email herself, your message has been received and is being reviewed by the appropriate staff person in this office who can best address your need, suggestion, or comment.

From: Rep. Beth Kerttula [mailto:Representative_Beth_Kerttula@legis.state.ak.us]
Sent: Friday, April 25, 2008 6:22 PM
To: Goto; Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored); Davis, Bettye J (LAA); Cissna, Sharon (LAA)
Cc: Parnell, Sean R (GOV); Hoffman, Lyman F (LAA); Green, Lyda N (LAA); Ellis, Johnny (LAA); Kookesh, Albert (LAA); Elton, Kim S (LAA); Therriault, Gene (LAA); Harris, John (LAA); Samuels, Ralph (LAA); Edgmon, Bryce E (LAA); Doll, Andrea (LAA); Joule, Reggie (LAA); Nelson, Mary (LAA); Salmon, Woodie W (LAA); Ledoux, Gabrielle R (LAA); Foster, Neal (LAA); Thomas, Bill (LAA); Doll, Andrea (LAA); michael.nizich@alaska.gov
Subject: RE: Energy Crisis Declaration

Hi Ms. Goto, thank you for your thoughts and suggestion. Thank you for your support of my hometown in our time of need. We in Juneau have stood with our more rural neighbors on energy issues, and I appreciate your concerns. I hope that we can work together for a good resolution for ALL Alaska.

I know you and your family and friends have long suffered from tremendous fuel and energy prices. I know we have to resolve this issue and we have to do it soon.

I have asked for a declaration of disaster for Juneau because of the many seniors, disabled, single parents, small businesses and others who are on fixed incomes and who will not make it through a big increase in energy costs. I know other people in Alaska are also suffering. We are truly all in this together.

Thank you for your email, I appreciate it and hope that we can all see a turn around in energy in Alaska. All my best, Beth

From: Goto [mailto:gyagoto@alaska.net]
Sent: Friday, April 25, 2008 9:47 AM
To: Governor@gov.state.ak.us; Sen. Bettye Davis; Rep. Sharon Cissna
Cc: 'Lt. Governor Parnell'; Sen. Lyman Hoffman; Sen. Lyda Green; Sen. Johnny Ellis; Sen. Albert Kookesh; Sen. Kim Elton; Sen. Gene Therriault; Rep. John Harris; Rep. Ralph Samuels; Rep. Beth Kerttula; Rep. Bryce Edgmon; Rep. Andrea Doll; Rep. Reggie Joule; Rep. Mary Nelson; Rep. Woodie Salmon; Rep. Gabrielle LeDoux; Rep. Richard Foster; Rep. Bill Thomas
Subject: Energy Crisis Declaration

April 25, 2008

Governor Sarah Palin
 State of Alaska
 Juneau, Alaska 99811

Senator Bettye Davis
 State Senate

10/22/2009

Representative Sharon Cissna
State House of Representatives

Re: Energy Crisis in Rural Alaska

Dear Governor Palin, Senator Davis and Representative Cissna:

Along with Juneau, please consider declaring all Alaska villages "Energy Disaster Areas." There is no relief in sight and the next fuel barges will deliver even more expensive fuel. I moved to Anchorage in 2002 but I still keep a close pulse on what happens at home. In my region, my family and friends are expecting some very steep prices of fuel and continued high prices for electricity. The average price of heating fuel in my home region is \$4.63 and the highest price paid is \$7.75. Please also note that ISER reports that rural Alaska uses less energy, but pays more (Effects of Rising Utility Costs on Household Budgets, ISER, March 2007).

Rural Alaska has been asking for energy relief for many years and as far as I know, the state disaster cabinet has never assembled on behalf of the villages that are facing increasingly increasing electricity and fuel costs. I hope that Juneau gets some relief, but I do not believe it is fair to consider Juneau to the exclusion of Rural Alaska villages where they are losing population, their schools are closing, no new jobs are being created, and villages are shutting down basic education, life, health, and public safety functions. High energy prices stymie economies and economic development. Just look at the airline industry.

The villages are going over an energy cliff and only massive intervention can turn the tide. Please consider a moratorium on energy sales taxes and a state-wide fuel subsidy program to lower the cost of gasoline, heating fuel, diesel, aviation fuel, and propane. This could work for and apply to all of Alaska.

The PCE program helps a lot with electricity and I thank you for your work on building the endowment and continuing to fund the program. Without that, instead of only paying 3 to 5 times as much for electricity as compared to Anchorage, my friends and family would be paying 3 to about 8 times as much.

This is a request to support communities' efforts to help themselves. You may be aware of the fact that many communities and regions (Pilot Point, Interior villages, Petersburg, Pt. Graham, Craig, Chena Hot Springs, and others) are taking pro-active steps to solve the energy problem on a long term basis but time is needed for their longer term solutions to kick in.

The experts warn that the energy situation in Anchorage and the rest of the Railbelt will soon be in the same set of terrible circumstances that Rural Alaska has been facing for 10s of years. My energy bills are creeping upward with no relief in sight. I truly believe we need to work together to solve this energy crisis for the benefit of the whole state. I hope that you will look kindly on this request for help and declare an energy crisis for Rural Alaska. Short of that, please create tools to stabilize the costs of energy to allow long term solutions to kick in.

Sincerely yours,

Greta L. Goto
Constituent, District K and 22, and super voter

CC: Lt. Governor Sean Parnell, Sen. Lyda Green, Sen. Johnny Ellis, Sen. Lyman Hoffman, Sen. Albert Kookesh, Sen. Kim Elton, Sen. Gene Theriault, Rep. John Harris, Rep. Ralph Samuels, Rep. Beth Kerttula, Rep. Bryce Edgmon, Rep. Andrea Doll, Rep. Reggie Joule, Rep. Mary Nelson, Rep. Woodie Salmon, Rep. Gabrielle LeDoux, Rep. Richard Foster, Rep. Bill Thomas

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From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 7:10 AM
To: Katz; John W (GOV); Leschper; Beth (GOV); Hughes; Rosanne D (GOV); Leighow; Sharon W (GOV)
Cc: Nizich; Michael A (GOV); Tibbles; Michael A (GOV); Persily; Larry A (GOV)
Subject: Re: G Gordon Liddy

Thank you.

Sent from my BlackBerry® device from Cellular One

-----Original Message-----

From: "John Katz" <jwkatz@ALASKADC.org>

Date: Mon, 28 Apr 2008 08:02:50

To: "Beth Leschper" <beth.leschper@alaska.gov>, "Rosanne Hughes" <rosanne.hughes@alaska.gov>, "Sharon Leighow" <sharon.leighow@alaska.gov>, <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>

Cc: "M Nizich" <mike.nizich@alaska.gov>, "Mike Tibbles" <mike.tibbles@alaska.gov>, "Larry Persily" <lpersily@ALASKADC.org>

Subject: Re: G Gordon Liddy

Hopefully, all of this has now quieted = down. However, I thought that you might want to see the attached = email from Adrian Herrera of Arctic Power in response to my inquiry last = week about what they were doing to clarify the Gorden Liddy situation. ; I circulated this on a limited basis to administration folks.

If you think more needs to be done by Arctic = Power, please let me know, and I will contact them today.

John W. = Katz

Director of = State/Federal Relations
and Special = Counsel to the Governor

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<mailto:jwkatz@alaskadc.org> jwkatz@alaskadc.org

(202) 624-5858

>>> On 4/25/2008 at 6:04 PM, in message = <1926165388-1209161238-cardhu_decombobulator_blackberry.rim.net-80240988= 2-@bxel67.bisx.prod.on.blackberry>, <gov.sarah@yahoo.com> = wrote:

What's the plan for = clarifying the "state is paying him..." rumor that was the subject of the = editorial and the letters to the editor recently? I don't know who's idea = it was to (supposedly) pay Liddy to lobby for ANWR, but either Arctic = Power needs to answer to the rumors, or there at least needs to be clearer = messaging that we didn't ask for this, nor did we bless the idea of paying = him or his expenses anyway as he plans to broadcast from AK. Thanks!

Sen= t from my BlackBerry=AE device from Cellular One

Unknown

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 7:09 AM
To: Morgan; Katryn L (GOV)
Subject: Re: Bike blessing

You're awesome. Thanks so much! Great words for this morning's Native Justice Momentum welcome. Thank you Kate!

Sent from my BlackBerry® device from Cellular One

-----Original Message-----

From: "Morgan, Katryn L (GOV)" <kate.morgan@alaska.gov>

Date: Sun, 27 Apr 2008 18:13:33

To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com

Subject: Re: Bike blessing

I'll work up fresh new remarks for you, as I delivered the proc and revised remarks on your behalf. The event sponsors gave me some adorable Harley baby things to pass on to you and Trig:)

----- Original Message -----

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>

To: Morgan, Katryn L (GOV); Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)

Cc: Hughes, Rosanne D (GOV)

Sent: Sun Apr 27 17:42:42 2008

Subject: Bike blessing

Kate- thanks so much for the bike blessing info also - I'll use it at next week's event... It sounds like it may be a bigger event even than yesterday's bike blessing.

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 4:59 PM
To: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Health_Care

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 4:59 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Health_Care

Web mail from: Amy Sammoury
address: 428 Pratt Street Longmont CO 80501
303-682-8824

MESSAGE:

Sorry, didn't know which field to pick on subject! Congratulations on your new son, Trig! God has blessed you in his gift of this child, and especially in your willingness to love him as God made him! We (all of us right to life folks in Colorado) are so proud of your family! God Bless you all, Amy

sammouryamy@hotmail.com

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 4:50 PM
To: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Other

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 11:29 AM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Other

Web mail from: Andie Rice
address: P.O. Box 56707 North Pole AK 99705

MESSAGE:

Dear Governor Palin! I wanted to let you know how much I appreciate and respect you as our governor. You are a model of honor and righteousness in a world that does not always value those virtues. I was so touched by the birth of your new baby and the Godly stand you made for life. I am praying for you and your family. May God bless you, guide you, and be your Strength moment by moment. Sincerely, Andie Rice

ricechex4him@juno.com

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 4:50 PM
To: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Other

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 11:43 AM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Other

Web mail from: Ms. Barbara Valka
address: 911Buffalo Springs Way Spring TX 77373
281-353-7422

MESSAGE:

Dear Governor Palin,

I am very much impressed by your stand on the joy your son has brought to you even though he is disabled. Your resolve to keep him and not to choose to abort him says alot about your character and determination. If I were in your state I would consider it a honor to call you a sister of the state but since I belong to the state of Texas I call you a sister of this great nation. May God Bless you and keep you and your son in his good graces. Happy Mother's Day a little early!

Love & Prayers,

Barbara C. Valka

valka@sbcglobal.net

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 4:50 PM
To: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Other

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 11:47 AM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Other

Web mail from: Ms. Debra Harbison
address: P.O. Box 54 Tok AK 99780
883-5727

MESSAGE:

Dear Governor Palin,

My family and I would like to congratulate you and your family on the birth of your son. Tag! We saw his picture on the news and he is a beautiful baby.

Words can hardly express how grateful we are for your expressions of love and hope for all of your children, what an example to a world that at times seems to regard our precious children as liabilities. We also want to say thank you for always keeping the good of all Alaskans foremost in your dealings with business and the legislature.

Best wishes,

Deb Harbison

harbison@aptalaska.net

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 4:49 PM
To: pcspecht@hotmail.com
Subject: RE: Other

Thank you for writing to Alaska Governor Sarah Palin. The concerns, opinions, and/or information you have sent are important and valuable to the Governor. Although she is unable to respond to each and every email herself, your message has been received and is being reviewed by the appropriate staff person in this office who can best address your need, suggestion, or comment.

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 12:15 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Other

Web mail from: Mr. Peter Specht
address: 7450 Clairborne Circle Anchorage AK 99502
907-360-2799

MESSAGE:

Govenor Palin,

I wanted to thank you again for taking the time from your family and comming by the Veterans Outreach / Veterans BBQ at the Wasilla airport this past weekend. Its was unexpected and a great pleasure to have you there. We had an exceptional turnout given the weather we recived on Friday. And your arrival and the time you spent with us was the iceing on the cake! Lulu Small and the AquaNets were pleased to get a picture with you and I'm sure they'll send a copy on.

For myself and all the Vets on Saturday. Thank you, You have a lot of class and your feelings for the people of Alaska and our vets, shows. I don't think there is another US state govenor who would have made that effort and shown up as just themselves whithout all the goverment trimmings. You and your family are in our thoughts and we support you as you support us. It was a pleasure to have such a down to earth, neighborly visit from the Lady Govenor next door. You have brought back a bit of the old Alaska to the new Alaska.

Our very best regards,

Peter Specht

ex-Sgt. USAF

1970 - 1979

pcspecht@hotmail.com

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 4:46 PM
To: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: General_Administration

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 12:43 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: General_Administration

Web mail from: Ms. Gaylene Thomas
address: 4718 Laurel Canyon St Las Vegas NV 89129
702 873-8715

MESSAGE:

Dear Governor Palin,

I am just writing to congratulate your whole family on the birth of Trig! My husband and I have 5 children, the youngest has Down syndrome and she has been the most amazing blessing for all of us! God was so good to give her to us and so I truly celebrate with those who get to know this new world! It is one I wouldn't have chosen so I am thankful God did for me!

Start stocking up on VeggieTale DVDs and Signing Time DVDs! It is amazing how well language skills develop!

Again, this is a fun world! It may be Knott's Berry Farm vs Disneyland at times, (a little slower paced) but so much joy!

God bless you

The Thomas Family:

Jim, Gaylene, Ty, Kyle, Cole, Kaya, and Alayna
4718 Laurel Canyon St
Las Vegas, NV 89129

jthomas146@cox.net

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 4:45 PM
To: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Other

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 1:02 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Other

Web mail from: Mr. David Tolleson
address: 1370 Center Drive, Suite 102 Atlanta GA 30338
800-232-6372

MESSAGE:

Dear Governor Palin,

On behalf of the Board and Staff of the National Down Syndrome Congress, congratulations to you and your husband on the birth of your son, Trig! Either now or in the future, we would be delighted to provide you with free, up-to-date information on issues related to Down syndrome. When the time is right for your family, you might also want to consider attending an NDSC convention. This year's event in Boston is expected to bring in close to 3,000 people from around the country (as usual, we already have folks coming from Alaska!) and the world.

Please don't hesitate to call or write if we can be of help and, again, congratulations!

David Tolleson
Executive Director
National Down Syndrome Congress
www.ndsccenter.org

david@ndsccenter.org

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 4:45 PM
To: Castle; Lillian K (GOV)
Cc: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Other

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 2:02 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Other

Web mail from: Emory Gonzales
address: 721 A Street Sitka AK 99835

MESSAGE:

Governor Palin:

Congratulations on the birth of your son, Trig. My wife and I have had 11 children and each one has been a special blessing.

I wish that this were all that I had to write, but certain state employees have created a problem for me that has recently cost me my position as the Radiologist for Wrangell Medical Center.

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 4:43 PM
To: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Labor

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 2:39 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Labor

Web mail from: Mr. Ralph and Linda Wyatt
address: 23243 Francis Avenue Fort Langley AK 72894

MESSAGE:

Dear Governor Palin,

Thank you for your wonderful labor of love!
We celebrate the birth of your most recent
and special child. May the Lord richly
bless you for your faithfulness. May He
give you grace and strength as your love and
raise this child. May He give you wisdom
in all of your governorship responsibilities.
We are cheering for you and your family!

Ralph and Linda Wyatt
Fort Langley, B.C.
Canada

rwyatt@shaw.ca

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 4:43 PM
To: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Other

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 2:45 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Other

Web mail from: Ms. Julie Medearis
address: 5001 Fox Hill Dr. Longmont CO 80501

MESSAGE:

You are an inspiration to us Mothers! I read about you and your 5th baby in the paper a few weeks ago. Congratulations!! What a very special gift from God.

I read:

"Children are the most precious and promising ingredient in this mixed-up world you live in down there on Earth. Trig is no different, except he has one extra chromosome," Palin wrote.

As for people who think a baby like Trig shouldn't even be born, look around, the governor wrote. Who is perfect or even normal?

You "GO GIRL!!"

jmedearis@gmail.com

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 4:28 PM
To: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Other

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 3:06 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Other

Web mail from: Ms. Betty Garvert
address: 11641 Quail Road Longmont CO 80501
303 772 9620

MESSAGE:

Would like to congratulate you on your new baby. You are right, God has give you a special gift and responsibility. I am sure that you will not disappoint Him. You and your family will be in my prayers.

bjgarvert@msn.com

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 4:28 PM
To: fraser.stephanie@hotmail.com
Subject: RE: Fish_and_Game

Thank you for writing to Alaska Governor Sarah Palin. The concerns, opinions, and/or information you have sent are important and valuable to the Governor. Although she is unable to respond to each and every email herself, your message has been received and is being reviewed by the appropriate staff person in this office who can best address your need, suggestion, or comment.

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 3:08 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Fish_and_Game

Web mail from: Ms. Stephanie Fraser
address: 11830 Northern Raven Drive Anchorage AK 99516
9073459315

MESSAGE:

Dear the Governor Palin,

My name is Stephanie Fraser. I am sixteen and I go to Robert Service High School. My history teacher has had us research a current events issue for a research paper and I chose the issue with polar bears. The issue keeps being pushed off and there still has not been a solution for the polar bears. One should be made as soon as possible, if it is, we can start to make the polar bears habitat a better place for them to live in.

The decision for whether the polar bears are going to be placed on the Endangered Species List or not has been put off too many times. A decision needs to be made. I think that the polar bears should be listed as threatened. The habitat in which the polar bears reside, is melting because of global warming. The polar bears live on the ice, and when the ice melts, they have to try and swim to the land. Polar bears can only swim so far, if they have to go too far because there is not another piece of ice, or any land, they have a chance of drowning.

I realize that this is more of an issue to deal with global warming, but if we are not going to do anything to stop harming the environment that the polar bears live in, then they should be placed on the Endangered Species List. They are in danger and we are to blame. The polar bears should be protected unless we do something to stop contributing to the global warming that is ruining the polar bear habitat. The polar bears will not adapt to living on land either, the animals they eat do not live on the land, they live in the oceans.

The polar bears need to be protected from our carelessness. So unless, we are going to

clean up the environment and keep it clean, and do other things to keep the global warming from continuing at the pace it is at, then the polar bears should be protected under the Endangered Species List.

fraser.stephanie@hotmail.com

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 4:27 PM
To: Wilken; Jessica M (GOV)
Cc: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Other

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 3:31 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Other

Web mail from: Steve Geanoulis
address: 116 Seward st. Juneau AK 99801
907- 463- 3704

MESSAGE:

Dear Sarah, congrat's on the new bundle of joy. How's the daughters navel piercing, hopefully healed up and doing well.

Down to business.

My wife Erin and myself own Pair-A-Dice Tattoo and Body Piercing here in Juneau, we also own our own home. That's right 2 electric bills. This AEL&P deal is out of controle, I

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 4:25 PM
To: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Other

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 4:24 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Other

Web mail from: Ms. Sarah Buchanan
address: 1111 7th St SW Alabaster AL 35007

MESSAGE:

Governor Palin,

Hello! My name is Sarah Buchanan, and I received an email that talked about you having a son with DS. If this is true, I just wanted you to know that I also have a son with DS; his name is Will. He is the most wonderful little boy in the world, and I was so excited to read of your perspective on your experience. You don't very often hear of too many people in prominent positions with children with DS, so maybe God chose you to make a difference, and bring much needed attention to this disorder! I'm sure you have done your research and found that organizations trying to research solutions to some of the problems that people with Down's have are extremely underfunded. I hope you don't think I'm asking for money! I am just a regular parent like yourself, and wish I could do more for him. Will is 4 now and we just love him to pieces, and couldn't imagine him any other way! He has changed my (and my husband's) life in ways that I do not have time to address here! It really was so

refreshing to read that someone said no I'm sorrys are needed! I have been saying that for 4 years myself. Anyway, I just felt led to let you know that you really have been blessed, and good luck to you and your family!

Sincerely,

Sarah Buchanan

buchanansarah@bellsouth.net

Unknown

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 3:41 PM
To: Colberg; Talis J (LAW)
Subject: Re: Gara and French

Makes sense. No lawmaker has told me what THEY want done with the abortion bills, so I've sort of left it up in the air, waiting to hear from them... perhaps they are polling. Let me know if/when you hear more. Thanks

Sent from my BlackBerry® device from Cellular One

-----Original Message-----

From: "Colberg, Talis J (LAW)" <talis.colberg@alaska.gov>

Date: Mon, 28 Apr 2008 15:28:34

To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com, ExternalEmailgsp <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>

Subject: Gara and French

Dear Governor Palin,

Deb Behr thinks Gara and French are in a hurry because the legislative leadership may be preparing to poll its members about calling a special session and they would be preparing arguments about why it should not happen. It is speculation but plausible.
Talis

Unknown

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 2:42 PM
To: Colberg; Talis J (LAW)
Subject: Re: Gara and French

Geez- that is demanding. Thanks for doing what you can on it, though it sounds like an impossible task at this point. Hopefully they'll take it out on Lyda, not us, if they're trying to make a point re: expensive litigation that resulted in no law changes.

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-----Original Message-----

From: "Colberg, Talis J (LAW)" <talis.colberg@alaska.gov>

Date: Mon, 28 Apr 2008 14:40:50

To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com, ExternalEmailgsp <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>

Subject: Gara and French

Dear Governor Palin,

Apparently Rep. Gara and Sen. French are demanding that my dept. give the total of dollars spent in the last thirty years on abortion litigation by the state by noon tomorrow. We may or may not have an answer as it is not clear we have a method of compiling that material that far back especially on such short notice. I do not know the urgency other than they must anticipate it will become the topic of a special session after all. This is just a heads up in case you know more or even if you have not heard about it. Talis

Unknown

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 11:33 AM
To: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Cc: Perry; Kristina Y (GOV); Todd
Subject: Sched tonight

I was invited to a pastor's conference tonight 6:30, Howard Rock Ballroom at the Sheraton, I'll be attending their appreciation banquet. Thanks!

Sent from my BlackBerry® device from Cellular One

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 10:55 AM
To: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Other

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 10:52 AM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Other

Web mail from: Mr. Carl Tremonti
address: 2918 Bayshore Vista Drive Tampa FL 33611
727-580-2780

MESSAGE:

Congratulations on the birth of your son. I to have a child with Downs, he is the youngest of 4 and the only boy. Similar to you we were unaware of this until two weeks after his birth when he was readmitted to the hospital and tested. His features are not very pronounced. Although we run into daily challenges they are fairly typical of the challenges our other children have gone thru. He will be 4 in July and currently plays t-ball and soccer. He is enrolled in an early learning program to prepare him for mainstream kindergarten and rides a bus from school to his daycare program which is the same as his sisters went. We felt lucky and blessed that god would trust us to raise such a special child

My wife and I are lucky enough to have executive positions in the healthcare field. This affords us the ability to seek answers to any questions we may have and ensure no barriers exist for Michael to receive the appropriate therapy allowing him to reach his fullist potential.

He is truly a blessing for us everyday and helps us to focus and understand what is truly important in our lives.

I encourage you to reach out to others who have children with downs so you can understand the resources available to you.

The Best of Luck

carl.tremonti@baycare.org

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 10:55 AM
To: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Other

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 10:53 AM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Other

Web mail from: Ms. Cathy Rodgers
address: 1426 G St. SE Washington DC 20003
202-812-0444

MESSAGE:

Governor Palin,

Congratulations on the birth of Trig! As a mom of a baby boy, Cole, born with Down syndrome a year ago tomorrow, I can testify that I believe I have only seen a glimpse of the positive impact he will have on my family's lives as well as this world.

I am good friends with Sean Parnell from the days when we served on a Western States Legislative Forestry Task Force together. I sent him an e-mail as soon as I heard the news that Trig had been born with Down syndrome. The hardest part is hearing the news and getting your arms around a new reality. However, you quickly develop new hopes and dreams for your son.

If over the next few days or weeks, you would like to talk, I would welcome it or if you come to DC, let me know, I would enjoy meeting you.

God Bless You and your family!

Cathy McMorris Rodgers
Congresswoman, Washington State
202-225-2006 (office)

202-812-0444 (cell)

cmc@mail.house.gov

cmc@mail.house.gov

Unknown

From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 10:54 AM
To: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Other

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 10:54 AM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Other

Web mail from: Mr. Joshua Hauser
address: 1130 W. 29th Ave Vancouver, BC OS V6H2E
604-730-9055

MESSAGE:

Dear Governor Palin,

I am moved to write you a personal note this morning, having received an email through a pro-life organization sharing news of your expanded family. The email said Trig weighed in at 6 pounds 2 ounces, and because (according to my mom) that was my birth weight (closing in on 49 years ago), I immediately felt a kinship with your new baby boy. The email also explained that Trig has Down Syndrome, and expressed your joyous response and your thanks to God for entrusting you with the responsibility of caring for him. Your attitude humbled me and filled me with joy, reminding me that my challenges are small and that I can meet them. Congratulations and best wishes to you and your family.

Yours truly,

Joshua Hauser

Vancouver, BC

hauserlaw@shaw.ca

Unknown

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 10:30 AM
To: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Cc: Perry; Kristina Y (GOV)
Subject: Re: Scheduling Request for Today, Monday, 04.28.08

It may be over the phone. 11am isn't good for me. Let me find a better time for me.

Sent from my BlackBerry® device from Cellular One

-----Original Message-----

From: "Mason, Janice L (GOV)" <janice.mason@alaska.gov>

Date: Mon, 28 Apr 2008 08:29:17

To: Sarah Palin <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>

Cc: "Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)" <kris.perry@alaska.gov>

Subject: Scheduling Request for Today, Monday, 04.28.08

Governor - Commissioner Galvin just called and asked if you had 15 minutes today that he could meet with you. He said 11:00 a.m. would work for him but anytime you have available he will make himself available. He needs to talk with you in regards to AIDEA Director. Thank you, Janice

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 10:34 AM
To: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Other

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 10:26 AM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Other

Web mail from: Karen Bodle
address: PO Box 6039 Harrisburg PA 17112
717-379-3767

MESSAGE:

Thank you for your beautiful testimony of welcoming your son, Trig. He will be a great blessing to you and your family because you have received him as a gift from God.

BLESSINGS, BLESSINGS, BLESSINGS, Karen Bodle Pennsylvania

karen4justice@yahoo.com

Unknown

From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 10:33 AM
To: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Other

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 9:52 AM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Other

Web mail from: Mr. Dan Gaffney
address: 46 River Road Drive W Mayflower AR 72106

MESSAGE:

Congrats on your new son, Trig! Thank you for speaking so well on behalf of those with "special needs" - my wife and I have 3 adopted kiddos, each with unique special needs. They are an absolute blessing to us, and would love to see more Godly families not be so fearful of these "kinds" of children. We call them God's hidden blessings.

gaff32@gmail.com

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 10:33 AM
To: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Other

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 9:50 AM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Other

Web mail from: Ms. elvina turner
address: P.O. Box 205 Unalakleet AK 99684
907-624-3571

MESSAGE:

Congradualation to you and your husband with your son. Just want to let you know that I have a 36 years old daughter with down syndrome that we love dearly in our family. Michelle my daughter graduated from high school here in Unalakleet, and now she is staying home with us. Michelle makes the family laugh, she has two sisters and two brothers. At first we had some hard times when we had Michelle but we went through that with the help of prayers and talking about it with each others. I just wanted to write to you to let you know because I felt for you when I heard the baby was a down syndrome but we still love them as much as we love our other children. I know that your a strong women but you have a long challenge ahead of yourself also your family. I know your family will make it. Take care and feel free to email me about any questions. Have a good day and many blessings! Elvina

eturner@nshcorp.org

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 10:32 AM
To: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Seniors

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 9:44 AM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Seniors

Web mail from: Ms. joyce adams
address: 801 River Rd 1006c Montgomery TX 77356

MESSAGE:

Congratulations and Happy Mothers Day From a mother of five

jadamsca@consolidated.net

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 10:32 AM
To: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Budget

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 9:35 AM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Budget

Web mail from: Mr. William Jones
address: PO Box 1332 Montgonery TX 77356
936 449 6270

MESSAGE:

Congratulations on your new baby, We in Texas see you as an example for all American mothers. You show the nation what pro-life is all about.

bill@ravenmechanical.com

Unknown

From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 10:31 AM
To: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Other

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 8:33 AM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Other

Web mail from: Ms. Regina Karl
address: PO BOX 868 MONT BELVIEU TX 77580

MESSAGE:

Congratulations on your new baby!!

I, too, have five children, and my fifth child has Down syndrome. At first, my husband and I went through the gamut of emotions, but the whole time we knew this child, as with all children, is a gift from God. And what a joy he is! We feel not just blessed, but LUCKY to have a child with Down syndrome. I share my joy with you in welcoming your baby into your family!

I also want to introduce you to three internet lists that I have found most beneficial in providing me with much-needed information, research, and support in the world of Down syndrome. They are:

1) <http://www.einstein-syndrome.com> - I love Miriam's (the founder) positive attitude in the way she sees her child with DS. Also, most of the members on this list believe in more natural, healthier methods of caring for our special-needs child, because we've learned there are, at times, safer alternatives to surgery and/or drugs (which usually come with unpleasant side-effects), but we are open to these interventions if necessary.

2) <http://groups.yahoo.com/group/DSTNI> - This group uniformly believes in the benefits of Targeted Nutritional Intervention (TNI), a supplemental program that targets the unique differences created in our children due to that extra chromosome. I personally use and see good results with Nutrivene-D (<http://nutrivene.com>) in my son. Rob at Nutrivene has a daughter with DS.

3) <http://groups.yahoo.com/group/DownSyndromeInfoExchange> - another group of parents sharing vital information and research.

If you wish to join these sites to benefit from the knowledge, but prefer to remain anonymous, that is fine. Of course, we'd love for you to introduce yourself and your child. We all have knowledge, ideas, and experience we can share with each other.

Governor Palin, I'm so happy for you and your new baby, and I'm very proud of you for setting this wonderful pro-life example to our nation and hopefully to the world!

With warmest congrats!

Regina Karl

A proud Texan mom of 5, including Nathan (4yo) with DS

rakarl@verizon.net

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 10:30 AM
To: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Other

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 8:15 AM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Other

Web mail from: Joanne Naughton
address: 409 Edgewood Drive Montgomery TX 77356
936 449 5240

MESSAGE:

Congratulations on your new baby. We here in Texas see you as an example for All American Mothers. You show the nation what pro-life motherhood is all about.

thank you for being you.

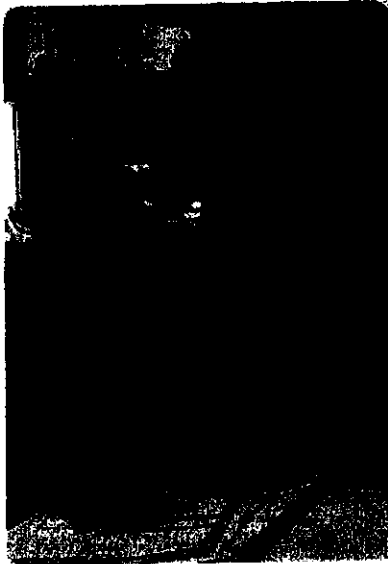
Joanne Naughton

joanne@renresourcegroup.com

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From: Ivy Frye [ivyfrye@yahoo.com]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 3:22 PM
To: Sarah Palin; Todd Palin; Hughes; Rosanne D (GOV); Leighow; Sharon W (GOV); Frank Bailey; Kris Perry
Subject: Gov Palin on U of I website--go vandals

Alaska's Youngest Governor



Sarah Palin '87 is a rising star. She was featured in a Newsweek article about women in state government and interviewed on Charlie Rose's national PBS program. She is mentioned as possible candidate for Congress and there's even a Web site promoting her for vice president in 2008.

The youngest governor in Alaska's history and the first born since statehood, Palin is a 1987 graduate of the University of Idaho.

Combining her curiosity with her love of writing, she decided to pursue a degree in journalism.

"I was always asking everyone the questions, and I still am today," Palin says.

Palin first got into politics running for city council in Wasilla, Alaska. Palin says her youth was more of an issue to voters than her gender, but that didn't stop her from running for mayor of Wasilla and winning when she was only 32.

"We accomplished a lot in the fastest growing area of the state, we reduced a bunch of taxes," Palin says. "Our agenda worked."

In early 2006, Palin sensed dissatisfaction with some of Alaska's long-time political figures and decided to run for governor.

"Knowing that former Governor Frank Murkowski's term was about to end, and seeing that it was the same old people wanting to run, I said to myself, 'Let's get way out there and take a stand for things that weren't right and had to be changed.'"

As governor, Palin has two major goals: restoring Alaska's reputation after a series of political scandals and making the state less reliant on federal funding. "I feel like that is a reason that we are here -- to show that we can be trustworthy, and we can run a clean government which will

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allow us to convince the rest of the nation that we are capable of being responsible resource developers to supply the U.S.”

With five offices located across Alaska, Palin is constantly traveling while trying to spend as much time as possible with her husband and four children.

Palin’s approval rating among voters hovers between 80 and 90 percent. Some Alaskans have suggested her as a candidate for U.S. Senate or for Alaska’s single seat in the House of Representatives. Palin’s father, Chuck Heath, says his daughter isn’t interested in higher office – for now. “She’s here to stay,” he says. “Her honesty has gotten her through everything in her political career, and we’re proud of the effects her honesty has had on the state.”

Author: Jennifer Castro, Senior in radio-television-digital media.

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 10:30 AM
To: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Other

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 7:44 AM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Other

Web mail from: Mr. Robert Dean
address: 3043 Poe Drive Monrfromery TX 77356
936-582-6314

MESSAGE:

Congratulations on your new baby. We in Texas see you as an example for all American mothers. You show the nation what pro-life motherhood is all about.

With due respect.

bob4345@aol.com

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 10:30 AM
To: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Other

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 7:42 AM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Other

Web mail from: Ms. Sylvia Coalson
address: 198 Pebble Creek Drive Toccoa GA 30577
706-282-7109

MESSAGE:

God has blessed you with the arrival of Trig. I have 2 special needs grandchildren (1 with down syndrome) and 12 other grandchildren. You have much love and many blessings ahead. God Bless your family and your leading the State of Alaska.

Sylvia Coalson
Toccoa, Georgia

stcoalson@alltel.net

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 10:29 AM
To: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Other

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 7:29 AM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Other

Web mail from: Ms. Jeanelle Bennett
address: 11264 Highway 55 Westover AL 35147
205-678-8596

MESSAGE:

Dear Governor Palin:

I receive the Family Research Council's Washington Update via email each day, and today, I was so touched by the wonderful story of your new son's birth. From a pro-life, pro-family individual (and family) who lives many, many miles from you, I felt I wanted to send you a personal note. What a blessing your new little son will be, and may God bless you in the days to come. I wish we had more good folks like you in office in America today.

Blessings,

Jeanelle Bennett

jrb678@bellsouth.net

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 10:29 AM
To: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Other

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 7:14 AM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Other

Web mail from: Ms. Timbrel Bilbrey
address: 320 Dakota Dunes Blvd #213 Dakota Dunes SD 57049
712.899.4824

MESSAGE:

Dear Governor Palin,

I was listening to the radio yesterday and heard a news blip that "the Governor of Alaska just had a baby with down syndrome."

I just wanted to write to you because I also have a little boy with down syndrome. I remember when we found out that Jake would have downs. Several friends talked about having an abortion, or tried to convince me that he wouldn't have a very good quality of life. At first it was like mourning the death of a "normal" child, but the minute he was born we knew he was so perfect, just the way he is, and we wouldn't change a thing. He has such a sweet and loving spirit, and he has introduced us to a different kind of world that we never would have known, meeting other parents with downs kids, etc.

Anyway, I just wanted to say congratulations on your beautiful baby boy. It sounds like he is going to be loved and wanted, and your life is going to be a crazy adventure with him, so good luck, and keep up all your good work.

Timbrel Bilbrey

QueenM83@msn.com

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 10:28 AM
To: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Other

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 6:38 AM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Other

Web mail from: Ms. Loretta Miller
address: 15 Victory Way LaFayette GA 30728

MESSAGE:

Governor Sarah Palin,

I want to thank you for the stand you take. You have made a tremendous statement with the birth of Trig! I greatly admire you for believing and doing what is right. You not only made a statement in giving birth to a mentally handicapped son, knowing that there would be challenges, but you've also made a statement in the fact that he is number five! In today's society, so many think two children is too many. As Christians, it is our privilege and responsibility to "be fruitful and multiply". If we don't, there will soon be very few to govern tomorrow. Larger families are a blessing and a testimony of what God can do! Thank you for standing!

May God bless you!

Loretta Miller

laurelcrowned@afo.net

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 10:27 AM
To: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Other

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 5:55 AM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Other

Web mail from: Cher Bellar
address: 243 East Main Street Jackson OH 45640
740-286-4918

MESSAGE:

Although I am not a resident of Alaska, I am so grateful for your belief in God and your staunch support of the unborn. Congrats to you and your family on the birth of your son. Children are precious and meant to be loved; we are blessed to receive them for God. All my joy for Trig.

Blessings from Ohio

Cher Bellar

cher_bellar_rsvp@yahoo.com

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 10:27 AM
To: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Other

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 5:54 AM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Other

Web mail from: Ms. Pamela Feldhues
address: 6260 Rollaway Drive Loveland OH 45140
513-722-3455

MESSAGE:

Dear Gov. Palin,

Congratulations on your precious baby boy! What society says is imperfect, God deems as perfect! Yes, your son has something "extra", you, your husband and God on his side!

God bless you on this incredible journey that God has called you!

Respectfully,

Pamela Feldhues

pamela.feldhues@ge.com

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 10:27 AM
To: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Health_Care

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 5:53 AM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Health_Care

Web mail from: Ms. Laurel Harvey
address: 125 McKelvy Ave. Clovis CA 93611

MESSAGE:

Congratulations on your new baby! May God richly bless you and your family and may other women follow a life with a godly purpose and seeing all life as a gift from God. Thank you for your courage and morals which lift up and not tear down as others are wont to do.

proverbs311112@yahoo.com

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 10:27 AM
To: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Other

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 5:04 AM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Other

Web mail from: Mr. Greg Williams
address: 324 Timothy Dr. Nicholasville KY 40356
859.881.8718

MESSAGE:

The Honorable Sarah Palin

Thanks so much for being a leader of Integrity, Principles and Priorities that have allowed you to not only be the Gov. of Alaska, but more importantly, a wife and mother. Thanks for your public service, but more importantly, for your public example and thanks to your husband for his role in all of this as well as your precious children, all 5 of them!

As the director of 2 non-profits that deal with healthy relationships and sexuality (one a govt. funded character based Abstinence and Healthy Relationship program and one a ministry that separately deals with the same issues), I want to just encourage you, your husband and family in taking the courageous and right stand with regard to the priorities of Life, marriage, family and calling (public service in your case).

I will certainly be praying for you as my sister was born with hydroencphalytis and the "burden" that she was, and has been, to our family over her 43 years have truly been a tremendous blessing!

Thanks again for your stance and true servant leadership and please let me know if there is anything that we can be praying for in particular and if our program and/or ministry can be of use to you in any other way.

God bless in Christ!

In His service

Greg Williams

gdubya31@yahoo.com

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 10:26 AM
To: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Other

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 4:37 AM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Other

Web mail from: Mr. Hugh Maloney
address: 20 Seymour Street Watertown CT 06795

MESSAGE:

Hello Governor Palin,

Congratulations on your new addition to your family.

You are truly a courageous leader that we in the United States can be proud of. God Bless you and your family.

hughftmaloney@yahoo.com

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 10:25 AM
To: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Education

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 3:49 AM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Education

Web mail from: Ms. Kim Foltz
address: 488 S.R. 261 Boonville IN 47601

MESSAGE:

I first visited Alaska March 23-29 of this year. I was amazed. Since then I have been watching what is happening in your state. This Associated Press article [http://ap.google.com/article/ALeqM5gH_2Ap17Mbwo1XAJ44Pny3I5-gIwD904LU7G0?CFID=1306532&CFTOKEN=56c5141389ecf4a7-779F7A79-9D74-9E06-B4301D12B2D80D3E] linked to your s

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 10:23 AM
To: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Other

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 2:01 AM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Other

Web mail from: Mr. Levente Balogh
address: D rener Strasse 34 D - 50171 Kerpen OS Ba.
049-2275-201850

MESSAGE:

Hallo Mrs. Governor Sarah Palin,

I am a big fan of You and your work and i admire Your good deeds!

That pleases me no end.

I have read all Publications of Your works, i find it`s very dood, go on like this !

You should know, Alaska is my DREAMLAND; an me intrissting all obaut Alaska..

I wish you a very nice and successful day, without stress!

Your

Levente Balogh from Germany

P.S.

Sorry, but my english ist not perfect.

valibal@gmx.de

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 10:22 AM
To: Kim; Anna C (GOV)
Cc: Cayce; Sunny C (GOV)
Subject: FW: AEL&P

-----Original Message-----

From: Anita Moser [mailto:anilomo@webtv.net]
Sent: Sunday, April 27, 2008 11:22 PM
To: Mail, RCA (CED sponsored)
Cc: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: AEL&P

This electric company should be sued for all of their faults that are surfacing. The population of Juneau will come down with pneumonia, with the heat and hot water shut off in their homes, as it is, to save money. Please give your very thorough considerations to TA360-1.

AM/

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From: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored) [governor@alaska.gov]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 10:19 AM
To: Mason; Janice L (GOV)
Subject: FW: Other

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Sunday, April 27, 2008 8:11 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Other

Web mail from: Michelle Knudsen
address: 980 Jennings Road Whitmore Lake MI 48189
734-449-5636

MESSAGE:

Dear Gov. Palin,

I wanted to write you a quick note to say, "Thank you, for seeing all children as special." It was encouraging for me to read about a governor in one of the fifty states that is living out that message. Thank you for being an inspiration to others.

Sincerely,

Michelle M. Knudsen

michelleknudsen@sbcglobal.net

Unknown

From: Mason, Janice L (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=JLMASON]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 4:33 PM
To: Sarah Palin
Subject: FW: Mears Junior High - Thank you

From: Smith, Carla J (DOT)
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 3:44 PM
To: Palin, Sarah H (GOV)
Subject: Mears Junior High

Sarah,

I want to thank you for the time you spent at my children's school last week for the Honor Society Induction. I was so surprised to see you there and thankful all at once. Your speech was very enlightening and supportive to me and my children.

Thank you for all that you do for Alaska. We are truly fortunate to have you as our Governor.

Carla Smith, P.E.

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From: Colberg, Talis J (LAW) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=TJCOLBERG]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 2:13 PM
To: 'gov.sarah@yahoo.com'; ExternalEmailgsp
Cc: Galvin; Patrick S (DOR); Haagenson; Steven H (AIDEA); Campbell; Craig (MVA)
Subject: FW: Memo on High Energy Cost Options

Dear Governor Palin,

Attached is a memo I asked Mr. Barnhill and Mr. Poag of my department to create after speaking with them last week and today. Privileged or Personal Material Redacted

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From: Poag, Christopher C (LAW)
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 1:36 PM
To: Colberg, Talis J (LAW); Tillery, Craig J (LAW)
Cc: Barnhill, Michael A (LAW)
Subject: Memo on High Energy Cost Options

Attached is a memo which Mike and I put together this morning. Privileged or Personal Material Redacted
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Let us know if you need anything else regarding this issue.

Thanks,

Chris Poag.
Department of Law
Assistant Attorney General
P.O. Box 110300
Juneau, Alaska 99811-0300
Tel: (907) 465-4132
Fax: (907) 465-2539

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From: Mason, Janice L (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE
GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=JLMASON]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 12:46 PM
To: Sarah Palin
Cc: Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)
Subject: Pastor's Conf/Banquet Tonight, Mon. 04.28 - 6:30 p.m.

Governor - I just received a call regarding the Pastor's Conference/Appreciation Banquet that you will be attending tonight. Under customary procedure you have two parking spots reserved: Spots 1 and 2 under the covered parking area at the Sheraton. They have also offered to have security meet you and escort you to the Howard Rock Ballroom.

Also, for the Volunteer Appreciation Luncheon for Wed., 04.30.08. I need to confirm your entrée' of either Top Sirloin or Mango Salmon. Thank you, Janice

Unknown

From: Ruaro, Randall P (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE
GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=RPRUARO]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 9:58 AM
To: 'Sarah Palin'
Subject: Alaska Airlines, Airport negotiations

Governor:

Leo and Frank are meeting with Christine today regarding the latest offer from Alaska Airlines, etc. I believe they have stepped up her involvement in the issues, which should be helpful to everyone.

Randy

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From: Mason, Janice L (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=JLMASON]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 1:01 PM
To: Palin; Sarah (GOV sponsored)
Cc: fek9wnr@yahoo.com
Subject: FW: FYI Email

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us]
Sent: Friday, April 25, 2008 9:01 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: General_Administration

Web mail from: Simon Ford
address: PO Box 1538 Haines AK 99827
907-766-3562

MESSAGE:

Ms. Palin, I know you don't have time to read emails that are beyond what's necessary to govern the state, but I wanted to express how refreshing it is to have a leader that hasn't forgotten that she is a representative of the people who elected her. Thank you for your care and respect of those you serve a

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From: Schmidt, Joseph D (DOC) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=JDSCHMIDT]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 8:24 AM
To: gov.sarah@yahoo.com
Subject: RE: Congrats/Corrections DPS budget

Hello Governor,

I have not met Ms. Kozloff, but she is in error about our request and our budget. We gained this year (FY09) like no other time. 40 additional Correctional Officers and programs. I'm heading to Juneau this afternoon and I'll get with Randy and talk this over. Heck, I'd meet with her. I've done that before and it worked out well. A cup of coffee is cheap. they started running an ad this morning about a magician and my removal of the word "Emergency" from our count sheets. Geez.

Thank you so much for your support, and Todd's calls have been a God send also.

Joe

From: gov.sarah@yahoo.com [mailto:gov.sarah@yahoo.com]
Sent: Sun 4/27/2008 7:29 PM
To: Schmidt, Joseph D (DOC)
Subject: Fw: Congrats/Corrections DPS budget

Hope all is well Joe- you're doing a great job and I don't want you or your family feeling any stress through this bit of a trial.

I tried responding to this constituent, Ms. Kozloff, and she's obviously not in a mood to hear from me or Randy... do you know her or anything about her - why she may be so angry? Don't spend time looking into it, just wondered if you knew her.

Sent from my BlackBerry® device from Cellular One

-----Original Message-----

From: "Ruaro, Randall P (GOV)" <randall.ruaro@alaska.gov>

Date: Sun, 27 Apr 2008 19:18:45
To: Sarah Palin <gov.sarah@yahoo.com>
Subject: FW: Congrats/Corrections DPS budget

Governor:

Ms. Kozloff sounds pretty emotional. I will have operating budget numbers on several increments we supported for DPS and DOC from Mary Sutton at OMB tomorrow and would like to send that information to Ms. Kozloff. She is certainly entitled to her opinion, but she should be forming that opinion on the true facts about the budget.

I will also work on a response about the situation with Commissioner Schmidt. I believe that for at least the last month Joe has had a standing offer to sit down with the union and work together to resolve the issues. I think the union refused to meet with Joe and resolve any issues because that would not have fit well with the way they were portraying Joe to members or helped steer their no-confidence vote the way they wanted. These guys were trying to bully Joe and us. I will add a few sentences that the Commissioner continues to wait for the union to come to the table and get to work on the issues.

Several individuals like former DOC Commissioner Margaret Pugh who know how this union operates and who know him have written in support. We received another e-mail of support yesterday from a former Director of Institutions who worked with Joe and retired from DOC in 1998.

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Randy

From: Jodie Kozloff [mailto:jkozloff@gmail.com]
Sent: Sunday, April 27, 2008 4:50 PM
To: fek9wnr@yahoo.com
Cc: Ruaro, Randall P (GOV)
Subject: Re: Congrats/Corrections DPS budget

Governor,

I will respond to this and then I won't be writing again.

My email to you was entitled CORRECTIONS and had to do with your unconditional support of your friend, Joe Schmidt. Your response addresses the DPA budget.

I won't respond as to the DPS budget numbers or Corrections for that matter. My email was clearly ALL about your response and how bad it looks. You know that. Your response, or lack thereof, only showed me that what everyone is now talking about is exactly true. You don't care what the residents of this State think. You don't care what the employees of the State think or feel. It's all about you and your friends. I am so disappointed.

Georgette Kozloff

On Fri, Apr 25, 2008 at 11:03 AM, <fek9wnr@yahoo.com <mailto:fek9wnr@yahoo.com> > wrote:
Georgette,
Thanks for the "congrats"! Trig is amazing.

Re: the budget, not sure where you got the information or numbers you mention in your email, but we invite you to look at the actual DPS budget and the growth you'll see there. For further clarification on the numbers you seem to be referring to, feel free to contact my special assistant on DPS budget, Mr. Randy Ruaro (he's cc'd in this email).

Thank you for contacting me, have a good weekend.

- Governor Sarah Palin

-----Original Message-----

From: "Mason, Janice L (GOV)" <janice.mason@alaska.gov <mailto:janice.mason@alaska.gov> >

Date: Fri, 25 Apr 2008 10:14:02
To: Sally Heath <salheath@mtaonline.net <mailto:salheath@mtaonline.net> >
Cc: Todd <fek9wnr@yahoo.com <mailto:fek9wnr@yahoo.com> >
Subject: FW: Congrats/Corrections

This email has also been sent to Randy Ruaro (DPS). Thanks, Janice

-----Original Message-----

From: WebMail@gov.state.ak.us <mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us> [mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us <mailto:WebMail@gov.state.ak.us>]
Sent: Thursday, April 24, 2008 7:34 PM
To: Governor Sarah Palin (GOV sponsored)
Subject: Corrections

Web mail from: Georgette Kozloff
address: PO Box 101104 Anchorage AK 99510
907-830-7021

MESSAGE:

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Governor Palin,

I have long supported you and have absolutely been in love with how you conduct yourself and conduct business for our State. I have been behind your husband in his desire to go back to the Slope, stating it's no one's business but yours and his. I have applauded you, flying out to be at your son's graduation (my son serves in the U. S. Navy). I have laughed and cried, and more recently read and viewed the pictures of your newborn son, adoring how precious he is and knowing he's being born into a loving and strong family.

Having said all of that, Governor, this time you have missed the mark by a mile with your "unconditional support" of Joe Schmidt. All the good things you've done...have been undone in one fell swoop in my eyes. Everyone knows you went to high school together - so what are you saying? That all of these people are liars and have some ax to grind? I do not have family members who work in corrections - this is just plain old common sense. You seriously need to rethink your stance on this issue. Corrections is in a world of hurt. This man not only didn't ask for more money for corrections (that's fine), but he GAVE some BACK? And now you don't believe the people who have given him a no confidence vote? Come on!

I didn't even write to you when you cut the DPS budget by 1.2 million dollars, and I DO have a family member who serves this State as a State Trooper. That was bad enough...but this....this is just wrong and believe me, you need to seriously think about rectifying this situation, despite the fact that this jerk is your long time friend. Do the right thing. Practice what you preach, Governor.

jkozloff@gmail.com <<mailto:jkozloff@gmail.com>>

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From: Ruaro, Randall P (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=RPRUARO]

Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 9:18 AM

To: Sarah Palin

Subject: Wayne Anthony Ross - DNR permit decision

Governor:

I spoke with Wayne and let him know DOT feels very confident its' permit appeal will be successful and the decision by DNR to not allow the asphalt plant next to the river will be reversed. I will let him know when formal action is taken by DNR. (This will probably take another 2-3 weeks).

Randy

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From: Mason, Janice L (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE
GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=JLMASON]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 8:29 AM
To: Sarah Palin
Cc: Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)
Subject: Scheduling Request for Today, Monday, 04.28.08

Governor - Commissioner Galvin just called and asked if you had 15 minutes today that he could meet with you. He said 11:00 a.m. would work for him but anytime you have available he will make himself available. He needs to talk with you in regards to AIDEA Director.
Thank you, Janice

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From: Morgan, Katryn L (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=KLMORGAN]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 5:31 PM
To: 'gov.sarah@yahoo.com'
Cc: Hughes; Rosanne D (GOV)
Subject: Regret Video Scripts

Governor,

I have attached the scripts of two regret videos that need to be filmed this week. They are also printed out for your convenience, and waiting for you in your office. I have placed the Combat Fishing script in the body of this email as it is brief, but the IOGCC video is about 3.5 minutes long, so that is attached only. Just wanted to get these to you so that you have the opportunity to familiarize yourself with the scripts and to determine if you wanted to see any edits. Thanks so much!

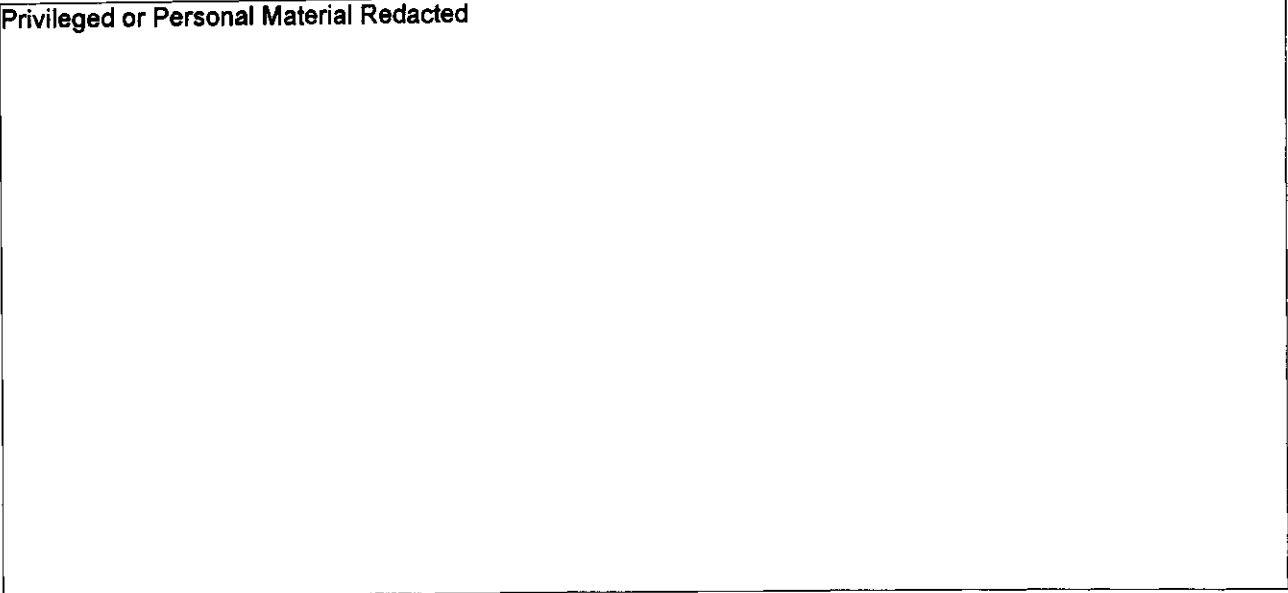
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From: Mason, Janice L (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=JLMASON]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 12:46 PM
To: Sarah Palin
Cc: Perry, Kristina Y (GOV)
Subject: Pastor's Conf/Banquet Tonight, Mon. 04.28 - 6:30 p.m.

Governor - I just received a call regarding the Pastor's Conference/Appreciation Banquet that you will be attending tonight. Under customary procedure you have two parking spots reserved: Spots 1 and 2 under the covered parking area at the Sheraton. They have also offered to have security meet you and escort you to the Howard Rock Ballroom.

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Unknown

From: Frye, Ivy J (GOV) [/O=SOA/OU=FIRST ADMINISTRATIVE GROUP/CN=RECIPIENTS/CN=IJFRIYE]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 4:04 PM
To: gov.palin@yahoo.com
Subject: RE: story re: polio -- Hope you can print this out. Share with anyone, but the Gov and Todd has dibs.

:) Hope you guys have a great day! Enjoy the sun.

-----Original Message-----

From: gov.palin@yahoo.com [mailto:gov.palin@yahoo.com]
Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 3:56 PM
To: Frye, Ivy J (GOV)
Subject: Re: story re: polio -- Hope you can print this out. Share with anyone, but the Gov and Todd has dibs.

Oh my gosh- that's one of the most beautiful things I've ever read. Absolutely beautiful. You can just feel love, and the mother-son bonded heart, pouring through his words! That made my day. Thanks ivy!

-----Original Message-----

From: "Frye, Ivy J (GOV)" <ivy.frye@alaska.gov>

Date: Mon, 28 Apr 2008 14:53:33

To: gov.palin@yahoo.com

Subject: FW: story re: polio -- Hope you can print this out. Share with anyone, but the Gov and Todd has dibs.

Hi Governor!

Steve asked that I pass this story on to you.

From: Quinn, Steve [mailto:squinn@ap.org]

Sent: Monday, April 28, 2008 2:44 PM

To: Frye, Ivy J (GOV)

Subject: RE: story re: polio -- Hope you can print this out. Share with anyone, but the Gov and Todd has dibs.

Friday

Publication:

THE DALLAS MORNING NEWS

Head:

MY MOM, MY HERO As a child, Mom was undaunted by
paralysis and physical therapy. But what will post-polio
syndrome do to her now?

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The jetty rocks are slick and sharp. Sometimes they serve as a backdrop to family snapshots on the New England shore. Other times, they are a 6-foot hurdle, dividing the beach.

In either case, the woman scales them with surprising ease. Soon, we'll set out for the Cape Cod coastline and take a sunset walk by the sea.

Maybe this time she'll begin to tell me stories.

* * *

The school halls are virtually empty except for an 11-year-old blond girl gingerly making her way up a set of stairs in a Maple Heights, Ohio, school. She reaches the landing and begins walking with a slight limp she hopes is covered by loose clothing.

She's late for class. Her arrival draws stares from seventh-grade classmates and silence from teachers who must wait for the girl to take her seat.

That's her, they think. That's the girl who had polio.

The year is 1953. The girl has returned to school after fighting off a bout with the neurological virus that struck fear in North Americans during the '40s and '50s. Polio left many of its victims paralyzed for weeks, months, sometimes permanently.

Undaunted by weeks of her own paralysis and months of physical therapy, the girl is back in class walking unaided; still, she wishes she had had anything but polio. If that were the case, the boy whose locker is next to hers would not run in a panic, leaving his books behind.

She refuses to skip any of her classes, including physical education. Softball is her favorite sport. She must hit a line drive to deep center field to reach first base, but she gets there. To her, it's just as good as hitting a home run. But the gym teacher asks the girl whether she can't run any faster.

Embarrassed, she tells her teacher no, then wonders: Isn't it enough that she got this far on her own?

* * *

My mother, Stephanie Ann Backman, was that girl. As an adult, she became my hero, my role model and my antagonist.

Now she is 59, and the drive and resolve of this 5-foot-2, 103-pound woman are still that of the 11-year-old girl pushing herself toward first base. But the physical means that fuel her ambition are slipping away.

Mom has post-polio syndrome, a menacing term that means that the virus may be gone, but its effects are reappearing decades later at an unpredictable pace.

Symptoms she thought had healed have returned and so have a few new conditions: muscle fatigue, weakness, pain, numbness, failing posture toward day's end, an inexplicable failure to do simple tasks such as holding out her arms palms up, then raising them past her shoulders.

Experts estimate there are at least 250,000 people with post-polio syndrome. Doctors often misdiagnose the condition or don't immediately recognize it because many of today's physicians didn't study polio in school.

The impact on my mom was this: Doctors at first weren't sure what was slowing her down; and then, once the diagnosis was made, they weren't sure how to treat her. No one knows what lies ahead.

* * *

My mother and I have always been close, but watching polio's late effects on her has brought me closer to her in ways I could have never predicted.

We talk more about everyday life as if we were friends. And when the time is right, we talk about polio. Discussions leave me wishing I were there more often to help, to ease her burden and what will be a growing burden on my stepfather.

Each trip to the East Coast reveals subtle changes in her condition. At times I want to be in the same room just to make sure she's OK. When I leave New England, I wonder what will change by my next visit.

I face the prospect of someday being my mother's caregiver. And my worries grow as I watch her become more vulnerable, watch her age faster than either of us expected.

The reversal in roles has already begun. As a psychotherapist accustomed to pushing people for their thoughts, Mom faces my questions about polio stories that she'd kept to herself.

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To: 'gov.palin@yahoo.com'; Hughes, Rosanne D (GOV); Leighow, Sharon W (GOV); Kelly, Russell T (GOV)
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Kate

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I'll be at the conference and will pronounce it once for you -- in case there's any doubt.

Rhonda

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Do you know correct pronunciation of her name:

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Friday

Publication: THE DALLAS MORNING NEWS
Head: MY MOM, MY HERO As a child, Mom was undaunted by paralysis and physical therapy. But what will post-polio syndrome do to her now?
Byline: Steve Quinn
Credit: Staff Writer of The Dallas Morning News
Section: TODAY
Zone:
Edition: THIRD
Column Name:
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Word Count: 1455
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Text: The jetty rocks are slick and sharp. Sometimes they serve as a backdrop to family snapshots on the New England shore. Other times, they are a 6-foot hurdle, dividing the beach.

In either case, the woman scales them with surprising ease. Soon, we'll set out for the Cape Cod coastline and take a sunset walk by the sea.

Maybe this time she'll begin to tell me stories.

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She's late for class. Her arrival draws stares from seventh-grade classmates and silence from teachers who must wait for the girl to take her seat.

That's her, they think. That's the girl who had polio.

The year is 1953. The girl has returned to school after fighting off a bout with the neurological virus that struck fear in North Americans during the '40s and '50s. Polio left many of its victims paralyzed for weeks, months, sometimes permanently.

Undaunted by weeks of her own paralysis and months of physical therapy, the girl is back in class walking unaided; still, she wishes she had had anything but polio. If that were the case, the boy whose locker is next to hers would not run in a panic, leaving his books behind.

She refuses to skip any of her classes, including physical education. Softball is her favorite sport. She must hit a line drive to deep center field to reach first base, but she gets there. To her, it's just as good as hitting a home run. But the gym teacher asks the girl whether she can't run any faster.

Embarrassed, she tells her teacher no, then wonders: Isn't it enough that she got this far on her own?

My mother, Stephanie Ann Backman, was that girl. As an adult, she became my hero, my role model and my antagonist.

Now she is 59, and the drive and resolve of this 5-foot-2, 103-pound woman are still that of the 11-year-old girl pushing herself toward first base. But the physical means that fuel her ambition are slipping away.

Mom has post-polio syndrome, a menacing term that means that the virus may be gone, but its effects are reappearing decades later at an unpredictable pace.

Symptoms she thought had healed have returned and so have a few new conditions: muscle fatigue, weakness, pain, numbness, falling posture toward day's end, an inexplicable failure to do simple tasks such as holding out her arms palms up, then raising them past her shoulders.

Experts estimate there are at least 250,000 people with post-polio syndrome. Doctors often misdiagnose the condition or don't immediately recognize it because many of today's physicians didn't study polio in school.

The impact on my mom was this: Doctors at first weren't sure what was slowing her down; and then, once the diagnosis was made, they weren't sure how to treat her. No one knows what lies ahead.

My mother and I have always been close, but watching polio's late effects on her has brought me closer to her in ways I could have never predicted.

We talk more about everyday life as if we were friends. And when the time is right, we talk about polio. Discussions leave me wishing I were there more often to help, to ease her burden and what will be a growing burden on my stepfather.

Each trip to the East Coast reveals subtle changes in her condition. At times I want to be in the same room just to make sure she's OK. When I leave New England, I wonder what will change by my next visit.

I face the prospect of someday being my mother's caregiver. And my worries grow as I watch her become more vulnerable, watch her age faster than either of us expected.

The reversal in roles has already begun. As a psychotherapist accustomed to pushing people for their thoughts, Mom faces my questions about polio stories that she'd kept to herself.

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